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O GOD, who hast prepared for those who love thee, such good things as pass man's understanding; pour into our hearts such love toward thee, that we, loving thee above all things, may obtain thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O LORD, without whom our labor is but lost, and with whom thy little ones go forth as the mighty; We humbly beseech thee to prosper the work we have undertaken in thy Holy Church, and grant to thy laborers a pure intention, patient faith, sufficient success upon earth, and the blessedness of serving thee in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O GOD, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off and to them that are nigh; Grant that all men everywhere may seek after thee and find thee. Bring the nations into thy fold, and add the heathen to thine inheritance. And we pray thee shortly to accomplish the number of thine elect, and to hasten thy kingdom, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O GOD, the Holy Spirit, sanctifier of thine elect, choose and prepare us, and teach us to know thy voice in our hearts that we may be thy handmaidens to do after thy blessed will; whom, with the Father and Son, we glorify as one God world without end. *Amen.*

For Noontide, Daily.

"And I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men, unto Me."

BLESSED SAVIOUR, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth thy loving arms; Grant that all mankind may look unto thee and be saved; through thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost ever one God, world without end. *Amen.*

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Report of the Diocesan Secretary.

To the N. C. Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary:

As we come together year by year for these meetings they become seasons of retrospection as well as introspection. And so, my dear friends, we recall the fact, that at our last gathering we congratulated ourselves that we were entering upon the new century, with its open door, on the which was written by God Himself, Opportunity, Responsibility. One step within its portals has been taken, one mile-stone passed. And where do we find ourselves! How many of us have prayed with the fervency that brings one to realize that God and the Soul are the two great realities in life? How many of us have studied to know the needs of the Church, and have followed the standard-bearers in the fields far distant, or even within our own borders? How many of us have given until we feel the pain of giving? How many of us have studied to know God's holy will in regard to that greater gift of *self?* How many of us have cared to know, if we as a Diocesan Branch have accomplished the work set before us a year ago? How many of us have cared if our own Father in God, or the Diocesan across the mountain has relied on our promise of gifts, and felt the pang of disappointment in developing some cherished plan because we have failed? How many of us have glanced back at the door of Opportunity, and closed our eyes ere we read that other soul-stirring word Responsibility? If the century opened the door of Opportunity for us, my friends, then throughout the century, living or dying, the responsibility is ours.

The seal of Baptism has pledged us to fight manfully. And for this cause are we come together. It is not a

work of supererogation, but a duty laid upon us by the privilege of our inheritance. Attendance on the annual meetings gives the pulse of Auxiliary life. We should have one delegate, at least, from each branch. During the year now closing our statistics show that we have done well, but not so well that we could not have done better. We have gained 86 members—whereas, little more than a year ago we set before ourselves the blessed hope that the 500 active workers should each bring in one new, earnest, zealous member. Surely there are one thousand women in the Diocese who should recognize the need the Church has for their work. "The Missionary spirit is the test of Christian character."

In the Convocation of Charlotte, one branch fails to report any work done, and the membership from one branch in the Convocation of Tarboro has been transferred to another branch. The number of branches in the Convocation of Raleigh is just the same, while there has been a gain of two branches in the Convocation of Salisbury. The little church which we helped to build three years ago is now an active Mission, and has organized a branch of the Auxiliary.

The improvement in the observance of the Intercessory Days has been marked. Charlotte observed all four days, and so did Hillsboro, Louisburg, Oxford, and the Good Shepherd, Raleigh, Tarboro and Wilson; the other branches generally varied from one to three. The observance of the week of self-denial during the September Ember season in the Convocation of Raleigh was marked with earnestness, and the free-will offerings more than met the pledge of $50 made by us for Mrs. Jeoffroy's school in Beaufort. The Advent Ember week was not so faithfully kept by any Convocation or number of branches, and consequently our wish to send $200 to the Bishop of the Diocese was not fulfilled. I believe these weeks of self-denial, observed with faithful attendance

on the Church services, accompanied by gifts, made by sacrificing self, shall bring to us that spirit of humility so acceptable to our Lord and Master, and so fill our treasury that we shall not close another fiscal year with any bright hopes unrealized. We all know the result of small systematic gifts. Shall we not try it, for one year more?

We have gone beyond any preceding year in our gifts of money, by $353.20, yet we find that we still need $121.00 to send to those fields where we had hoped to make larger gifts. We set for ourselves generous giving, and still I think a little more effort and diligence and we might come up to our most sanguine hopes. Shall we not at once repair the work? Can we not devise a plan for securing this money and sending it at once to the fields where it is so much needed?

There are other duties pressing for attention. I fear we are far from appreciating the importance of the C. P. C. work. We do not realize the joy and comfort a Church paper or a magazine becomes to some isolated family in a Missionary field, or even to some poor woman or invalid, unable to procure the luxury of light or religious literature. Miss Cameron asked for $25.00 for this work, and we have sent only $15.00.

In regard to the United Offering, Miss Emery reminds us that in 1898 the offering from North Carolina was $803.40. To-day we have in hand only $371 for the offering to be made in October in San Francisco. What shall we do to redeem the time? Shall we act on her suggestion? She writes: "In your Diocese there are twenty Parishes and organized Missions which, apparently, had no share whatever in the work of the Auxiliary last year; could not an attempt be made to obtain from the women in each one of these some contribution for our offering? In every Parish where there is a branch there are women who do not know of it, and so do not care.

Cannot you institute some plan for telling them? Cannot every interested member of the Auxiliary take as a special duty this year the work of interesting some one uninterested? We have a large possible force of helpers—every woman in the Church, old and young, to the smallest baby girl just taken back from the font with the waters of Holy Baptism still shining on her forehead.

"We cannot excuse ourselves from such a task as we suggest by reasons of one's poverty or another's riches. We have a worthy opportunity to present, in which every woman of the Church may be well pleased to join and grateful for the privilege. Let us fill ourselves with the sense of this opportunity and this privilege, and in the ardor of our own enthusiasm, kindle, with the blessing of God's Holy Spirit, the enthusiasm of others."

Such a course well carried out will be a great help to our United Offering Secretary, and may make our share in the offering worthy of the Diocese. Miss Emery also writes of many plans for making each Diocesan Branch realize more than ever before her identity with the Board of Missions; these plans we shall consider later in the day.

And now as regards Missionary Study. First of all, I wish to say that as a Diocesan Branch I fear we do not keep in touch with the monthly conference of Diocesan Officers held in New York the 3d Thursday of each month. It is our privilege and duty to share in these conferences and yet month by month and year by year we fail to claim our privilege. Would we not be benefited by having the Diocese represented once or even twice during the year at these conferences? Thus brought in touch with the Board of Missions, we shall feel a deeper, more intense interest, in the progress of the Church. The South has ever been a laggard in pushing her claims; we need to be more aggressive. The observance of the noonday prayer alone in the great center of our work, and in

the building erected by the Board, and the chapel set apart for the Sanctuary of Missions, would be a blessing any one of us might crave.

I still wish to urge that leaders of classes give more time and thought to the preparations for study; be sure that material is accessible for the class—have a well defined course marked out, in which one subject shall follow another. Our representative on the J. A. P. C. has arranged a most excellent course. The Spirit of Missions has given a course, and a series of subjects can easily be selected from either of these. Mrs. Van Landingham is always ready to aid those who wish assistance, and Miss Beach, of Hartford, holds herself in readiness to send literature or answer questions on any subject.

As we go about our daily duties, why may we not ever bear in mind the command of our blessed Lord, "Go ye." A prayer breathed in behalf of the laborer far away, a daily offering at the midday hour, of the petition, "Thy kingdom come," a faithful division of the earthly goods committed to our keeping, must be acceptable to our Father as obedience to the command. We who are left by "the stuff" should realize more and more, that to us is entrusted the reserve force for those who are literally in the field; who can measure the sustaining power of constant prayer, the sending of a word of cheer, and the necessity for money, to the worker in the heat of the day? If we have been guilty of the sin of omission in the past, my friends, let us give more earnest heed to these things for all time to come.

Let us make this year a red letter day in the history of the North Carolina Branch of the Auxiliary—distinctive for fervent prayer, faithful service, and generous giving, leaving to the Lord of the harvest the developments both for ourselves and for those whom we wish to help.

Faithfully yours,

May 23, 1901. MARY E. HORNER.

CENTRAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand	$23 94	
Woman's Auxiliary, 1900-'01	47 30	
Junior Department, 1900-'01	10 00	
Communion Alms	5 00	
Offering during the day	20 00	
		$106 24

EXPENDITURES.

Printing Reports	$35 03	
Printing Leaflets, Programs, Prayer Cards	18 15	
Postage	6 83	
C. P. C	2 00	
S. Augustine's S	23 00	
Miss Mann's railroad fare	13 40	
Balance on hand	7 83	
		$106 24

MINUTES.

On the afternoon of May twenty-second, the day preceding the annual meeting of the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, a meeting of officers was held at the residence of Mrs. R. W. Winston. There were present Miss Horner, Diocesan Secretary; Mrs. Wilkes, Honorary Secretary; Miss Mattie Bailey, Secretary for the Convocation of Raleigh; Miss Agnes Hairston, of the Convocation of Salisbury; Mrs. Hill, of the Convocation of Tarboro; Mrs. A. B. Hunter, of the Advisory Committee; Mrs. Paxon Watters, Secretary of Junior Auxiliary; Mrs. F. H. Busbee, Secretary for United Offering; Miss Hilliard, Recording Secretary.

The following suggestions were made, which were offered as resolutions at the annual meeting on the following day and passed:

I. That the Ember days in September be observed as a season of prayer and self-denial for the cause of Missions, the proceeds of self-denial to be given to the Bishop of Asheville for Missionary work in the Jurisdiction.

II. That the first week in Advent be observed in a similar manner and the fruits of self-denial be given to Bishop Cheshire to be used in the Missionary work of the Diocese.

III. That the vigil of the Feast of the Annunciation be observed as a day of intercession for Missions, with special offering for Domestic Missions.

IV. That the vigil of the Feast of the Transfiguration be observed in like manner, with special offering for the Thompson Orphanage.

V. That the objects for which the Auxiliary shall work and the amount that they shall endeavor to raise be the same as last year.

VI. That the word pledge, in relation to the amount to be raised, be dropped, the sums named for the different

objects being those which it is hoped may be reached, but the deficit not to be considered a debt.

VII. That if the amount raised during the coming year should exceed the amount set before the Auxiliary to be raised, the excess go to meet the deficit for the past year. All offerings at the annual meeting shall be used for the same purpose.

VIII. That the offerings made during the self-denial weeks and on the intercessory days be entered on reports.

IX. That definite courses of study be adopted and carried out by the different Parish Branches.

X. That Miss Kate Cheshire be asked to decorate the envelope in which North Carolina's contribution to the United Offering be carried to San Francisco.

XI. That the value of Convocational meetings be emphasized and the Convocational Secretaries be urged to call at least one such meeting each year.

The Annual meeting of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions was held in Durham, on Thursday, May twenty-third. nineteen hundred and one. The day was opened with an early celebration of the Holy Communion at St. Philip's Church. Morning Prayer at nine o'clock was also said at the Church, after which the delegates to the annual meeting repaired to Pythian Hall, where the session was opened by an address by the Bishop. After commending the work of the women for the year just closed and thanking them for the assistance rendered him in his work, the Bishop spoke especially of the approaching triennial meeting in San Francisco, and of the United Offering to be made at that time, and recommending that our delegate to that meeting be instructed to cast her vote for designating two-thirds of that offering for the training and support in the fields of women workers, and one-third to be used at the discretion of the Board.

The Bishop appointed Mrs. John Bennet, of Wades-

boro, Secretary for the Convocation of Charlotte, to fill the place left vacant by the resignation, a year ago, of Mrs. Van Landingham, of Charlotte.

The roll was then called by Convocations and responded to by the following delegates:

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

CHARLOTTE—Mrs. Wilkes.
ROCKINGHAM—Miss Easdale Shaw.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

DURHAM—Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Hanks.
CHAPEL HILL—
HENDERSON—Miss Hines.
HILLSBORO—Mrs. Watters, Miss Collins.
OXFORD—Miss Hilliard.
PITTSBORO—Mrs. London.
RALEIGH (Church of the Good Shepherd)—Mrs. Pittinger, Mrs. Cheshire.
RALEIGH (St. Mary's)—Miss McKimmon.
RALEIGH (St. Andrews)—Mrs. King, Miss Birdsall.

CONVOCATION OF SALISBURY.

FORK CHURCH—Miss Hairston.
GREENSBORO (St. Barnabas)—Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Clary.
GREENSBORO (St. Andrews)—Mrs. Gale.
LEAKESVILLE—Mrs. Sharp.
WINSTON—Mrs. Jones.

CONVOCATION OF TARBORO.

ENFIELD—Mrs. Pippin.
HALIFAX—Mrs. Hill.
TARBORO—Mrs. Hill.
SCOTLAND NECK—Miss Addie Smith.
WARRENTON—Mrs. Arrington.
WELDON—Mrs. Gooch.

Mrs. Wilkes of Charlotte, our Honorary Secretary,

made an earnest address, in which she spoke especially of the triennial meeting, the United Offering, and more particularly of the Missionary Exhibit to be held in San Francisco at the time of the triennial meeting, and which it is hoped will serve to interest each Diocese and Jurisdiction in every other; and to which each Diocese is urged to send, as gift or loan, articles of interest illustrating its work and history.

Mrs. Hanks, of Durham, in a very graceful address of welcome, gave an interesting history of the phenomenal growth of the city of Durham and St. Philip's Parish during the last twenty-six years. The church was begun with six communicants, in a tiny village by a young man in deacon's orders. It has become a strong parish, with 236 communicants, and is a powerful influence for good in the busy city now one of the most important in that section of the State, over which the then young deacon now presides as Bishop. Our Diocesan Secretary read her annual report, and made an earnest appeal for more zealous work in the future. Her report showed that for some of the objects for which we had been working we had fallen short of the amount set before us—notably for St. Augustine's School, for the Bishop of Asheville, and for Bishop Cheshire's Missionary work, and for some objects the amount proposed had been exceeded. There was an inspiring note of hopeful courage in Miss Horner's words, and her desire that the same amounts for the same objects should be set before the society for the next year was gladly acceded to.

Mrs. Watters, the Secretary for the Junior Auxiliary, read an interesting and encouraging report of the work under her care. Reports were read by the Convocational Secretaries of Salisbury and Raleigh. In the absence of any Secretary of the Convocation of Charlotte, Miss Horner, who has been doing that work for the past year, read the report of that Convocation. The Convocational re-

ports showed the good results of the meetings of the Auxiliary of the Convocations. Mrs. F. H. Busbee, Secretary for the United Offering, made an interesting report, and expressed her surprise at finding so many women well informed on most subjects knowing little of the action of the Board of Missions and even less of the Woman's Auxiliary. After the pause for the Noonday Prayer, which was offered by Mrs. Wilkes, Mrs. Hunter gave an eight-minutes talk about St. Augustine's School and St. Agnes' Hospital, dwelling especially on the industrial work in the school, the usefulness of the library, and the efficient work of Dr. Hayden in the hospital.

The point of interest towards which all thoughts were turned was the Triennial Meeting in San Francisco next October, and the United Offering which, as is customary will be made at that time. After some discussion it was decided that North Carolina's delegate should be instructed to cast her vote for having this offering designated for the training and support in the field of women workers.

A motion to ask Miss Kate Cheshire to decorate the envelope in which North Carolina's contribution shall be carried to San Francisco, was made and carried by a rising vote.

After a delightful lunch served in the Pythian banquet hall by the ladies of the Durham Branch, the meeting was called to order by the Diocesan Secretary. The opening service was read by the Rev. Mr. Gamble, of Tarboro, who spoke on the need of prayer for Missions. His address was full of encouragement and appreciation for the work and the workers. Mr. John Wood, Secretary of the General Board, spoke on the importance of knowledge to those who would be efficient workers, and made an eloquent plea for more reading and study about Missions. He also spoke of the Missionary work in Japan, calling especial attention to the work of the Board of Missions

of the newly organized national branch of the Church in that country. Dr. Pittinger spoke on work for Missions, especially of the propelling force, the love of Christ, the constraining and guiding force, knowledge of the work.

Miss Mann, in whose work, life, and sufferings in Japan we have so keenly sympathized, and whom having not seen we have loved and looked upon as our own Missionary, spoke to us face to face, telling us not of the hardships but of the blessedness of her work, of her love for those for whom she worked, and of their affection for her, which lightened her labors and sweetened her lot.

A vote of thanks to the ladies of the Durham Branch was moved, and carried by a rising vote, the ladies remaining standing while Miss Horner expressed the appreciation of the visitors of the gracious hospitality which they had received. Mr. Richard Battle, in the name of the Auxiliary and the delegates to the Diocesan Convocation, also thanked the ladies of Durham for their hospitality in a few apt, witty and graceful words. After a collection was taken for Missions, the singing of the Doxology closed a very well attended, satisfactory and enjoyable meeting.

The Auxiliary purpose to raise during the coming year:

For Miss Babcock's salary	$100 00
Bishop Cheshire Scholarship, Holy Trinity Orphanage (Japan)	36 00
Lindsay Patton Scholarship, St. Paul's College, Tokyo	25 00
China	50 00
Jurisdiction of Asheville	200 00
St. Augustine's School	50 00
Southern Florida	50 00
To be placed at Bishop Cheshire's disposal	200 00

The appropriation for the Thompson Orphanage will not be limited.

MARGARET B. HILLIARD,
Recording Secretary, Convocation of Raleigh.

Convocation of Charlotte.

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Convocation of Charlotte.

PARISH BRANCHES.	Members.	Intercessory Days Observed.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	Boxes.	Value.	C. P. C.	Total.
Charlotte, S. Peter's	85	4	$ 8 60	$ 5 50	.....	$21 66	$17 12	$42 56	$18 65	2	$35 20	.....	$149 02
Bristow, S. Mark's	15	2	1 50	.....	$1 00	15	15	11 53	.....	...	.....	.....	14 33
Monroe, S. Paul's	12	2	1 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9 15	2	22 00	.....	32 40
Southern Pines, Emmanuel	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 50	7 50	2 50	.....	...	.....	$2 50	25 00
Wadesboro, Calvary	5	.....	50	6 00	1 80	2 00	3 50	2 00	14 00	1	21 00	.....	50 80
	131		$11 80	$11 50	$2 80	$36 31	$28 27	$58 59	$41 30	5	$78 20	$2 50	$271 82

Convocation of Raleigh.

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PARISH BRANCHES.	Members.	Intercessory Days Observed.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	Boxes.	Value.	C. P. C.	Total.
Chapel Hill	17	1	$1 70	.....	$2 00	$1 00	$1 00	$2 00	$13 50	1	$5 00	.....	$26 20
Durham, St. Philip's	31	3	.....	$28 61	27 77	23 00	.....	17 08	25 00	4	133 31	$2 00	281 77
Henderson, Holy Innocents	50	3	4 40	10 01	21 50	10 53	5 50	6 83	42 34	5	53 75	.....	156 86
Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	25	4	2 50	5 00	.....	6 00	7 15	5 00	18 60	1	70 69	.....	109 94
Louisburg, St. Paul's	11	4	2 00	5 00	1 00	3 50	10 50	1 00	20 80	...	70 60	.....	43 00
Oxford, St. Stephen's	30	4	2 30	4 22	22 45	21 27	48 00	15 00	26 50	1	31 00	1 00	171 04
Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew	21	.....	.....	.....	2 50	.....	1 00	.....	.....	4	89 15	.....	92 65
Raleigh, Christ Church	30	1	3 00	23 30	15 50	20 00	10 00	10 00	.....	1	55 00	1 00	138 80
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	21	4	2 10	14 00	43 00	21 10	17 00	11 10	46 00	4	133 40	1 00	277 70
Raleigh, St. Mary's	15	1	1 40	.....	8 25	12 00	.....	.....	12 00	1	1 00	.....	34 00
Raleigh, St. Ambrose	19	.....	.....	.....	6 00	3 00	2 50	3 50	2 00	1	21 50	.....	38 50
	270	25	$19 40	$85 14	$150 97	$121 40	$127 65	$71 51	$205 94	23	$582 80	$5 00	$1369 81

Report of the Secretary of the Raleigh Convocation.

The financial report submitted to our Diocesan Secretary will show an increase of $183.12 in the Raleigh Convocation during the past year and a gain of 41 members.

Fifty dollars were pledged by the North Carolina Branch for Mrs. Jeoffroy's work at our annual meeting. The Raleigh Convocation sent $57.45 as the result of Self-Denial Week. There is a noticeable increase in the interest in the general Mission work. Only one letter gave these discouraging words of the past: "The members take no interest in the Auxiliary, only pay their dues." Christ Church, Raleigh, and St. Philip's, Durham, are doing fine work among the mill people in each city. Christ Church sustains a free school, chiefly for mill hands, the expense is borne by the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, but the women of the Auxiliary have organized sewing schools and guilds for the women and children, and work among them nursing the sick, or teaching a better way of living. All denominations notice an improvement in that section of the city.

It is of peculiar interest that Durham leads the North Carolina Branch again this year, as it is one of the youngest branches. There are two Missions among the mill people—one at East Durham and one at West Durham—supported by the Brotherhood, in which the members of the Woman's Auxiliary take active part. As Sunday school teachers, in the choir and in active work among the people, together with regular monthly contributions to these Missions, the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Philip's is setting an example in the work that is "next thing to do."

St. Andrew's Brotherhood and the people of Carey no longer need the assistance which the Woman's Auxiliary

of the Church of the Good Shepherd has given for several years. The Church has a foothold in Carey now. An enthusiastic meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary during the Convocation at Oxford, July 13th of last year, set a high standard for all future gatherings.

We have sustained two removals, by death, of two most efficient officers. Mrs. White, President of the Louisburg Branch, and Mrs. Collier Cobb, Secretary of the Chapel Hill Branch. Their sympathy and co-operation at all times are gratefully remembered.

The Tarboro Convocation is to be congratulated in gaining Mrs. Burgwyn, our former Treasurer of the Henderson Branch. The work at St. Ambrose (Col.) needs especial praise.

We would earnestly recommend the observance of the Weeks of Self-Denial, and the Days of Intercession, as the increase in the work in parishes where the services are held grows faster each year.

Respectfully submitted.

MATTIE H. BAILEY,

Secretary Woman's Auxiliary, Raleigh Convocation.

Convocation of Salisbury.

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Convocation of Salisbury.

PARISH BRANCHES.	Members.	Intercessory Days Observed.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	Boxes.	Value.	C. P. C.	Total.
Elkin	3	.....	$ 30	.....	.....	.....	$1 50	$1 50	$5 00	...	.....	...	$8 30
Fork Church Mission	3	.....	30	$2 00	.....	$1 50	.....	5 00	5 00	...	.....	...	13 80
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	12	2	.....	2 34	$1 50	6 00	3 00	1 00	2 00	...	.....	...	15 84
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	18	.....	1 80	.....	5 00	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	1	$25 00	...	33 80
Germantown	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 00	...	.....	...	4 00
Leaksville, Epiphany	14	1	60	10 00	.....	5 00	3 00	3 00	2 50	...	.....	...	24 30
Salisbury, St. Luke's	30	.....	3 00	7 00	.....	10 00	5 00	5 00	53 50	...	.....	...	83 50
Statesville, Emanuel	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 95	...	.....	...	1 95
Stoneville Mission	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	1 00	.....	.....	...	.....	...	2 00
Winston, St. Paul's	25	3	.....	.....	15 00	1 25	4 00	7 00	8 50	1	18 72	...	67 47
	113		$6 00	$26 54	$21 50	$33 75	$18 50	$22 50	$82 45	2	$43 72		$254 96

Convocation of Tarboro.

OFFICERS.

MRS. T. N. HILL, Secretary.

ENFIELD.—No report.

HALIFAX.

Mrs. T. N. Hill, President.
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Mrs. M. M. Murray, Secretary.
Mrs. M. L. Hart, Treasurer.

Convocation of Tarboro.

PARISH BRANCHES.	Members.	Intercessory Days Observed.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	Boxes.	Value.	C. P. C.	Total.
Halifax, St. Mark's	7	.....	$ 70	$1 00	.....	$ 75	$1 50	$ 50	.....	...	.....	...	$4 45
Jackson, Church of Our Saviour.	9	.....	90	16 75	.....	4 00	4 00	.....	$5 00	...	.....	...	30 65
Littleton, Chapel of the Cross	2	.....	.....	10 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 50	...	.....	...	13 05
Ridgeway, Good Shepherd	7	.....	.....	4 00	.....	4 00	2 15	1 00	1 00	...	.....	...	12 '5
Rocky Mount, Good Shepherd	26	1	.....	3 30	.....	2 32	5 00	.....	5 00	1	$40 00	...	55 62
Scotland Neck, Trinity	30	.....	3 00	2 35	$ 50	3 00	4 00	2 00	4 00	1	49 63	...	68 48
Tarboro, Calvary	31	4	2 00	11 00	.....	13 00	10 00	7 00	15 25	2	68 00	...	126 25
Warrenton, Emanuel	26	1	.....	.....	.....	2 30	1 00	12 00	5 00	1	27 00	...	47 30
Weldon, Grace	14	1	1 30	5 21	.....	2 00	3 00	4 18	12 25	1	32 00	...	59 94
Wilson, St. Timothy	16	4	2 15	6 35	1 10	15 00	7 50	10 17	36 25	1	24 00	...	102 00
	168		$10 05	$60 51	$1 60	$46 37	$38 15	$36 85	$86 25	7	$240 63		$520 41

Summary Table of Woman's Auxiliary.

CONVOCATIONS.	Members.	Intercessory Days Observed.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	Boxes.	Value.	C. P. C.	Total.
Convocation of Charlotte	131	8	$11 85	$11 50	$2 80	$36 31	$28 27	$58 59	$41 80	5	$78 20	$2 50	$271 82
Convocation of Raleigh	270	25	19 40	85 14	150 97	121 40	127 65	71 51	205 94	23	582 70	5 00	1369 81
Convocation of Tarboro	168	11	10 05	60 51	1 50	46 37	38 15	36 85	86 25	7	240 63	.....	520 41
Convocation of Salisbury	113	4	6 00	26 54	21 50	33 75	18 50	22 50	82 45	2	43 72	.....	254 96
	682	48	$47 30	$183 69	$176 87	$237 83	$212 57	$189 45	$416 44	37	$945 35	$7 50	$2417 00

Report of the Junior Department of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Branches, 35. Members, 891.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Thompson Orphanage	$237 60
Diocesan Missions	39 91
Domestic Missions	52 39
Foreign Missions	114 68
United Offerings	35 26
Central Fund	20 55
Church Periodical Club	1 40
Boxes 21, valued	110 15
	$611 94

MRS. PAXSON WATTERS, Secretary.

Sixth Annual Report of the Babies' Branch.

Foreign—Bp. Atkinson Cot, Holy Trinity, Oji, Japan	$36 00
Domestic—St. Augustine's School, Kindergarten	9 00
Diocesan—Thompson Orphanage Nurse's Fund	22 00
United Offering	4 00
Central Fund	10 08
	$81 08

MRS. WALTER J. SMITH, Director.

Report of the Church Periodical Club in the Diocese of North Carolina.

My Dear Miss Horner: I herewith submit the twelfth Annual Report of our Diocesan branch of the Church Periodical Club. As usual, the report is very incomplete, as it seems impossible to impress upon all of our Librarians the necessity of making a tabulated statement each year of the work, be it much or little, that they have been able to do; and until they shall each one learn the obligations of office—that whoever serves must of necessity give an account of his stewardship—we cannot know just how much is done by our branch of this important, because most useful and helpful organization. On the whole, however, the past year has been the most active and saticfactory of our C. P. C. life. The majority of our Librarians have put their hearts in the work, and when the heart is enlisted the hands do not soon tire.

I have still to report that by far too many of our branches have not yet taken up the C. P. C. work, but I shall not cease to try to win them to it. We have twenty-four parishes enrolled with us; but St. Paul's, Winston-Salem; Grace Church, Warrenton; and St. Luke's, Salisbury, are without Librarians; and Christ's Church, Raleigh; Holy Innocents, Henderson; Emmanuel Mission, Southern Pines; and St. Paul's, Louisburg, failed to report; and the Chapel Hill branch is hardly yet organized. What we have done, as compiled from the seventeen (17) reports that were returned to me is as follows:

We have twenty (20) Librarians; eighty-nine (89) persons contributing; one hundred and eight (108) periodicals are being sent for the current year; sixty (60) books; five (5) Bibles; one (1) Testament; forty (40) Prayer-books; twenty-eight (28) Hymnals; sixty (60) Psalters; seven (7) Catechisms; twelve (12) tracts; nine

hundred and sixty (960) cards; twenty (20) carols; two thousand seven hundred and sixty-six (2,766) odd numbers of magazines and papers; and six calendars have been distributed and two boxes of miscellaneous literature that was not counted have been sent out.

This amount is very small, as representing the combined C. P. C. work of an entire Diocese; but it is larger than ever before, and, therefore, as indicating growth, it is encouraging.

Our contributions of money to the Central Office since August last, so far as I know, have been only fifteen dollars and forty-three cents ($15.43). We ought not to give less than twenty-five dollars ($25.00) each year, and that would be but a meagre return for all that the Diocese receives from the C. P. C.

When, oh when, will we believe our blessed Lord when He says: "It is more blessed to *give* than to receive?" Why can we not have faith enough to take Him at His word, and at least make experiment of their truth? If all of our Auxiliary branches would, each one, count one dollar as an annual appropriation for the C. P. C. work in the New York office, we could readily double our present contribution, which is largely individual, and we ought to do it.

The Church Periodical Club does as purely missionary work as any clergyman who leaves all to teach the heathen in distant lands. Its benefactions girdle the earth and go into its far away, remotest corners, both by land and sea. Its ministrations of mercy are limited only by the lack of money. It must prepay all charges on whatever it gives away; and whether it is by mail or express, by freight or by steamer, that its packages are sent, the transportation of them has a value in dollars or cents that has to be prepaid. And I think we might at least send them money enough to pay for what is sent into our own Diocese, even if we did no more. If we are not willing to help others,

we should at least be willing to pay the expense of what we get.

Dear friends and fellow-workers, shall we not try to do better next year? Not only in the matter of more help to the Central office, but in the whole conduct of the work? Let us, each one, make a personal effort to send out literature to those who lack; to encourage our parish Librarians by a hearty sympathy and co-operation in their work, which is not always either easy or pleasant; and to do, oh, simple yet wide-reaching, all-embracing rule: "To do unto others as we would they should do unto us." If we will but keep this rule always before us as the chart by which to steer the course of our daily life in all its small homely details, we will not, we cannot, fail in the least or the greatest service of love to those who are, through the fellowship in Christ, our brothers and companions. I beg all the branches of the Auxiliary to see to it that the C. P. C. work is taken up in their parishes as a regular part of their Auxiliary obligations, and that each one has a Librarian appointed so soon as they return to their homes, to confer with me about the duties of their office. If you could only see some of the letters that are written to the C. P. C., setting forth the great need and desire that exists for literature, or returning thanks for the blessing and delight that what was sent has proved to them, you could not help taking part in the work. You would feel guilty of positive cruelty, whenever you found a magazine lying about your houses after it had been read. Come, dear friends, let us take up anew this blessed, merciful work, and be faithful in it for His sake, who went about doing good.

Respectfully submitted.

REBECCA CAMERON,

Correspondent, Church Periodical Club, Diocese of North Carolina.

Hillsboro, N. C., April 30th, 1901.

List of Parish Branches of the Church Periodical Club and their Librarians.

No. 1. St. Matthew's Parish, Hillsboro,
Miss Helen L. Webb.

No. 2. Christ Church, Raleigh,
Miss Lizzie Ashe.

No. 3. The Good Shepherd, Raleigh,
Miss Annie C. Hill.

No. 4. Holy Innocents, Henderson,
Mrs. A. C. Davis.

No. 5. Church of the Epiphany, Leakesville,
Mrs. W. S. Martin.

No. 6. , Rockingham,
Miss Easdale Shaw.

No. 7. St. Paul's, Monroe,
Mrs. S. S. Wolfe.

No. 8. St. Paul's, Winston-Salem.
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No. 9. St. Philip's, Durham,
Mrs. J. B. Hunter.

No. 10. Trinity Church, Scotland Neck,
Miss Addie E. Smith.

No. 11. Grace Church, Warrenton,
. . . . . .

No. 12. Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill,
Miss Nellie Battle Barbee.

No. 14. St. Stephen's Church, Oxford,
Miss Susan W. Graham.

No. 16. All Saint's, Concord,
Mrs. James Gibson.

No. 17. St. John's Church, Grifton,
Mrs. S. M. Hannahan.

No. 18. St. Mary's School, Raleigh,
Miss Kate McKimmon.

No. 19. Emmanuel Mission, Southern Pines,
Mrs. Eleanor Shaw.

No. 20. St. Peter's, Charlotte,
Mrs. M. A. Bland.

No. 21. Chapel of the Cross, Littleton,
Miss Lucy Capeheart.

No. 22. St. Timothy's, Wilson,
Miss Margaret Carter Joyner.

No. 23. St. Luke's, Salisbury,
. . . . . .

No. 24. Calvary Church, Wadesboro,
Mrs. W. A. Edmunds.

No. 25. St. Paul's, Louisburg,
Mrs. Alban Greaves.

Diocesan Correspondent, No. 17,
Miss Rebecca Cameron,
P. O. Box 32, Hillsboro, N. C.

Report of Secretary of Junior Auxiliary of the Diocese of North Carolina.

The Junior Auxiliary of North Carolina reports for the Diocesan year, ending April 15, 1901, 35 Parish Branches, with 891 members. The Branches at Milton and Walnut Cove are disbanded for lack of members. The conditions in Reidsville are not favorable, and the Branch is temporarily discontinued. One new Branch has been added, in Durham, with 23 members, and proves a valuable acquisition.

Our work during the year for various objects sums up as follows: Thompson Orphanage, $237.60; Foreign Missions, $69.29; Domestic Missions, $46.34; Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, Japan, $45.39; Diocesan Missions, $39.91; United Offering, $35.26; Central Fund, $20.55; St. Augustine's School, $6.05; Church Periodical Club, $1.40; twenty-one Missionary Boxes have been sent, valued at $110.15. Total of contributions, $611.94.

Our offerings are greater by $114.01, and our membership larger by 76, than in 1900. All pledges have been fulfilled, and the gifts to Thompson Orphanage have been generous. Our hearts should be very grateful and glad that we have been permitted to do this good work in the advancement of Christ's kingdom and in helping His children. The importance of training the young people of the Church in Missionary work cannot be too strongly enforced. When we recall the grand totals contributed by the children's Lenten Offerings, tens of thousands of dollars each year, and the amount given in 1900 by the Junior Auxiliary of the Church, $31,148, we see what their efforts can accomplish. Teach the young hearts to love others, and—because "service is the first law of love" —to help others. All cannot do much, but all can do

something. We can give pennies and nickels, if we have no dollars. We can sew a plain skirt or waist, or furnish a toy or a book, for the Missionary Box. We can read about, and think about the orphan children we are asked to aid, and the faithful missionaries who go into the waste places of our own land or to far-away heathen countries. We can pray that God will bless the objects of our work, and will open to us the way to assist in them. If we can do no more, we can attend regularly the Junior meetings, encourage others by our presence, and influence some one else to join our Branch.

Habit is a mighty power, for good as well as evil. "Sow an act, and you reap a habit; sow a habit, and you reap a character; sow a character, and you reap a destiny." Teach our young people that they have a place and a part in the Church's work. Guide them to form the habit of helping and giving. Train them to be faithful in that which is least. Then when the wider responsibilities of mature life come to them, they will be fitted for the larger duties. We are very glad to have one new Branch. Our borders are extended each year, and we desire to include every parish in the Diocese within our ranks. I again urge the benefit of the study of Missions. A small balance remaining in my hands will be used in the purchase of Missionary catechisms and leaflets. These I will send gladly to the Branches. If they will read them aloud, briefly, at the Junior meetings, talk them over, and from time to time review their knowledge, they will obtain both pleasure and profit. The Juniors make up a large proportion of the Sunday schools. It is recommended that one Sunday in each month be set apart as Missionary Sunday, when all the classes in Sunday school shall be instructed in the Mission work of the Church, and the offering on that day shall be for Missions. This plan has been found to awaken great interest.

The work of another year lies ready for our hands. Let us take it up with glad hearts, resolving to achieve still better things than in the past.

1st. The Thompson Orphanage deserves our continued help. Its sixty inmates must be fed and clothed and trained. This noble charity lies within our own bounds, and we must provide first for our own.

2d. In another Orphanage, Holy Trinity, in Japan, a little girl is looking to us as her friends. We have undertaken to support the North Carolina Junior Scholarship, forty dollars a year, and this amount provides for little Goshio's welfare. I hope all the Juniors saw her picture and read Mr. Ishii's touching story about her in the "Messenger of Hope" for March. We must take care of her for several years longer, for she is only nine years old. We will not disappoint her, for she is told that across the broad oceans in North Carolina the Juniors have adopted her as their little Japanese friend, and will see that she is comfortable in Mr. Ishii's Christian home for helpless little ones.

3d. The United Offering is to be presented in San Francisco in October next. In this offering we unite with all other Auxiliaries throughout the American Church. It is given for the extension of the Kingdom of God in the world. It is sent from Minnesota and Florida, from California and Maine, from Africa and Alaska, and from the Lands of the West. The Junior Auxiliary of North Carolina shares in this Offering. Each Branch should be represented, and as nobly, as comes within its ability.

4th. St. Augustine's School. For this object our offerings have fallen behind last year. Only $6.05 was sent. Why should we not give to this excellent school, where young colored people are brought under Church influences, are trained to be useful and self-supporting? The Church endorses special work among colored people;

and nowhere is this work more wisely and faithfully carried on than at St. Augustine's. Let us help these people who live among us to become self-respecting, law-abiding Christian men and women. I hope the Branches will all remember St. Augustine's next year.

5th. The Central Fund is an *obligation* of five cents per year from each member of the Junior Auxiliary. The Junior Secretary writes a great many letters, sometimes long ones; sends a great many leaflets and reports; helps to pay for the printing of this very book—five cents apiece from the Juniors will enable her to do all this.

I hope each Branch will try to send one Missionary Box during the year. Put into it: clothing, household necessaries, toys, or books. Let everything be what we would like to receive ourselves if we were to get a box; new, useful, worth something.

One new object I wish to propose for our efforts this year, that we shall try to help the people in Jacksonville, Florida, ruined by their disastrous fire. The beautiful city was laid waste; ten thousand persons rendered homeless; families left without houses, food, clothing, or the means of livelihood. Let us help them—send your gifts to me, that I may forward them to Bishop Weed of Florida.

God bless you, dear Juniors, in the coming months! May He inspire, direct, and bless your work.

Faithfully your friend,

L. G. Watters.

CENTRAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

From Junior Auxiliary Branches, 1900-1901	$20 55	
		$20 55

EXPENDITURES.

Printing Junior Reports	$10 00	
Stationery and postage	9 88	
Balance on hand		67
		$20 55

PARISH BRANCHES.

Junior Auxiliary, Diocese of North Carolina.

BRISTOW.—St. Mark's Branch.

Director.—Mrs. Ben Houston.
President.—Miss Alice McCoy.
Secretary.—Miss Florida Foxhall.
MEMBERS, 7.

Thompson Orphanage	$4 37

CHAPEL HILL.—Chapel of the Cross Branch.

Director.—Mrs. Ralph Graves.
Secretary.—Miss Mary Huske.
MEMBERS, 5.

Thompson Orphanage	$38 50
Bishop Brooke's work, Indian Territory	5 00
	$43 50

CHARLOTTE.—St. Peter's Branch.

Director.—Miss Emma Hall.
MEMBERS, 10.

Thompson Orphanage	$10 00
United Offering	1 50
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	1 00
Central Fund	50
Christmas Box for Walnut Cove, N. C	8 00
	$21 00

CHARLOTTE.—Thompson Orphanage—St. Mary the Virgin Branch.

Director.—Rev. W. J. Smith.
Vice-Director.—Miss Essie Call.
Secretary.—Miss Blanche Lowry.
Treasurer.—Miss Ella Monroe.
MEMBERS, 57.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 5 83
Children orphaned by Galveston Flood	3 84
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	2 06
United Offering	1 12
St. Augustine's School	93
Box for St. George's Mission, Morganton, N. C	2 75
	$16 53

DURHAM.—St. Philip's Branch.

Director.—Mrs. William Wall.
President.—Miss Augusta Michaels.
Vice-President.—Miss Madge Mershon.
Secretary.—Miss Gertrude Winston.
Treasurer.—Miss Sadie Hackney.

MEMBERS, 23.

Scholarship at Valle Crucis	$ 6 00
India Famine Fund	3 00
Church Building Fund	1 16
Box for Thompson Orphanage	12 50
	$22 66

GREENSBORO.—St. Andrew's Branch.

GREENSBORO.—St. Barnabas' Branch.

HALIFAX.—St. Mark's S. S. Branch.

Director.—Mrs. Thomas Hill.

MEMBERS, 4.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 75
Holy Trinity Orphanage	50
United Offering	25
St. Augustine's School	25
Central Fund	25
	$ 2 00

HENDERSON.—Holy Innocents' Branch.

Director.—Mrs. Joseph Burwell.

MEMBERS, 14.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 4 52
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	1 00
United Offering	1 00
Central Fund	70
Box for Thompson Orphanage	1 00
	$ 8 22

HILLSBOROUGH.—St. Matthew's Branch.

Director.—Mrs. Paxson Watters.

MEMBERS, 16.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 3 96
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	2 00
United Offering	2 00
St. Augustine's School	2 00
Central Fund	80
Box for Thompson Orphanage	7 75
Quilt for Soldiers' Home, Raleigh	4 00
	$22 51

IREDELL COUNTY.—Shinsville.

Director.—Miss Nannie Smith.

JACKSON.—Church of the Saviour Branch.

Director.—Miss L. H. Whitfield.
President.—Miss E. W. Lewis.
Vice-President.—Miss A. L. Buffaloe.
Secretary and Treasurer.—Miss Josephine Bowen.
MEMBERS, 11.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 8 00
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	4 00
United Offering	1 88
Central Fund	1 16
	$15 04

LEAKESVILLE.—Church of the Epiphany S. S. Branch.

Director.—Mrs. W. S. Martin.
MEMBERS, 10.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 3 50
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	2 00
United Offering	1 50
Central Fund	28
	$ 7 28

LITTLETON.—"Pure Hearts" Branch.

Director.—Miss Lucy Capehart.
President.—Miss Annie Alston.
Secretary and Treasurer.—Miss Mary Spruill.
MEMBERS, 7.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 6 00
Church Periodical Club	1 00
Quilt for Thompson Orphanage	
	$ 7 00

LOUISBURG.—St. Paul's Branch.

Director.—Mrs. Perry Neal.
MEMBERS, 10.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 5 60
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	50
Central Fund	50
	$ 6 60

MONROE —St. Paul's S. S. Branch.

Director.—Miss Katie Fairley.
Secretary.—Miss Effie Fairley.
MEMBERS, 8.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 5 00
United Offering	55
Central Fund	40
	$ 5 95

ORANGE COUNTY.—St. Mary's Branch.

Director.—Mrs. James Cain.
Secretary.—Miss Alice Overaker.
Treasurer.—Miss Emma Overaker.
MEMBERS, 3.

United Offering	$ 1 00
Diocesan Missions	1 00
Episcopal and Contingent Fund	1 00
Sufferers by Galveston Flood	50
Central Fund	15
Box for Soldiers' Home, Raleigh	4 00
Christmas Box for Thompson Orphanage	3 15
Box for St. Luke's Home	1 75
	$12 55

OXFORD.—St. Stephen's Branch.

Director.—Mrs. R. B. Owens.
President.—Miss Mary Cooper.
Vice-President.—Miss Mildred Taylor.
Secretary.—Miss Julia Winston.
Treasurer.—Miss Janie Booth.
MEMBERS, 16.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 6 50
Bishop Cheshire's work, North Carolina	2 00
Bishop Horner's work, Asheville	1 00
Alaska	1 00
Cuba	1 00
Porto Rico	1 00
Central Fund	80
	$13 30

PITTSBORO.—"Mary Lippit" Branch.

Director.—Miss Sallie London.
President.—Miss Lily Hill.
Vice-President.—Miss Nellie Pelkington.
Secretary and Treasurer.—Miss Betsy London.
MEMBERS, 5.

Scholarship in Mission School, Beaufort, N. C	$10 00

RALEIGH.—Christ Church S. S. Branch.

Director.—Mr. Charles Root.
Treasurer.—Mrs. Maggie Huddleson.
MEMBERS, 123.

Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	$ 4 40

RALEIGH.—Church of the Good Shepherd Branch.

Director.—Mrs. William West.
President.—Miss Louise Pittenger.
Vice-President.—Miss Hal Morson.
Treasurer.—Miss Mary Latta.

MEMBERS, 28.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 7 00
Mission Scholarship (half), Beaufort, N. C	5 00
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	2 10
Central Fund	1 40
Box for Thompson Orphanage	26 50
	$42 00

RALEIGH.—St. Augustine's School Branch.

Director.—Mrs. A. B. Hunter.
President.—Miss S. V. Johnson.
Secretary.—Miss S. M. Rhone.
Treasurer.—Miss G. A. Lander.

MEMBERS, 120.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 8 22
United Offering	8 22
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	2 74
St. Luke's Hospital (Dr. Gates'), Shanghai, China	2 74
Central Fund	2 74
	$24 66

RALEIGH—St. Augustine's Chapel S. S. Branch.

Director.—Mrs. A. B. Hunter.

MEMBERS, 150.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 7 67
United Offering	7 67
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	2 56
St. Luke's Hospital (Dr. Gates'), Shanghai, China	2 55
Central Fund	2 55
	$23 00

RALEIGH.—St. Mary's School Branch.

Director.—Miss Kate McKimmon.
St. Monica's Chapter.—President—Miss Kate Meares.
St. Elizabeth's Chapter.—President—Miss Annie Bunn.
St. Hilda's Chapter.—President—Miss Connie Evans.
St. Margaret's Chapter.—President—Miss Ethel Hughes.
St. Cecilia's Chapter.—President—Miss Lena Dawson.

MEMBERS, 100.

"Bennett Smedes" Scholarship, Thompson Orphanage	$50 70
"Aldert Smedes" Scholarship, Shanghai, China	43 00
St. Paul's Mission School, Beaufort, N. C	13 00
Central Fund	3 65
Thompson Orphanage	2 27
Church Periodical Club	40
Christmas Box for Thompson Orphanage	3 00
Box for Thompson Orphanage	3 00
Box for Thompson Orphanage	2 00
	$121 02

RIDGEWAY.—"Busy Bees" Branch.

Director.—Mrs. J. D. Scott.
Secretary.—Miss Margaret Petar.
Treasurer.—Miss Annie Collins.
MEMBERS, 8.

Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	$10 00
Thompson Orphanage	40
Central Fund	20
	$10 60

ROCKY MOUNT.—"Young Christian Soldiers" Branch.

Director.—Mrs. Mary P. Battle.

SALISBURY.—St. Luke's Branch.

Director.—Mrs. F. J. Murdock.

SCOTLAND NECK.—Trinity S. S. Branch.

Director.—Mrs. G. S. White.
MEMBERS, 25.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 6 33
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	52
United Offering	52
St. Augustine's School	52
Central Fund	52
	$ 8 41

SOUTHERN PINES.—Emmanuel S. S. Branch.

Director.—Rev. W. H. Gregory.
MEMBERS, 11.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 2 35
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	2 35
United Offering	2 35
St. Augustine's School	2 35
Central Fund	60
	$10 00

TARBORO.—Calvary Branch.

Director.—Miss Sue Curtis.
Assistant-Director.—Mrs. J. F. Martin.
Secretary and Treasurer.—Miss Lillian Beattie.
MEMBERS, 15.

Thompson Orphanage	$25 00
India Famine Fund	10 00
Church at Winterville	10 00
Kioto, Japan	5 00
Rev. Mr. Phelps' work, North Carolina	5 00
	$55 00

WADESBORO.—"Bishop Gray" Branch.

Director.—Mrs. John T. Bennett.
Secretary.—Master Wm. Hardison, Jr.
Treasurer.—Master Bennet Leak.

MEMBERS, 11.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 6 00
Diocesan Missions	3 75
United Offering	1 50
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	1 40
Bishop Gray's work, Southern Florida	1 00
India Famine Fund	1 00
Central Fund	60
Box for Thompson Orphanage	5 00
Box for Thompson Orphanage	3 50
Box for Thompson Orphanage	2 25
	$26 00

WARRENTON.—"Gilbert Higgs" Branch.

Director.—Miss Sue C. White.
President.—Miss Mattie Williams.
Secretary.—Miss Mary Hunter.
Treasurer.—Master Sam Boone.

MEMBERS, 40.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 7 00
United Offering	1 40
	$ 8 40

WELDON.—Grace Church S. S. Branch.

Director and Secretary.—Mrs. E. C. Davis.

MEMBERS, 15.

Thompson Orphanage	$ 2 13
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	1 26
United Offering	80
Central Fund	75
	$ 4 94

WILSON.—St. Timothy's Branch.

Director.—Mrs. Thomas Bell.
Recording Secretary.—Miss Rosalie Benton.
Corresponding Secretary.—Miss Lucia Bell.
Treasurer.—Miss Gretchen Barnes.

MEMBERS, 14.

Thompson Orphanage	$10 00
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	5 00
United Offering	1 00
Central Fund	1 00
Christmas Box for Old Fort Mission, N. C	8 00
Easter Box for Thompson Orphanage	5 00
Quilt for Thompson Orphanage	2 50
	$32 50

WINSTON.—St. Paul's Branch.

Director and Treasurer.—Mrs. Walter Leake.
President.—Mrs. De Los Thomas.
Secretary.—Miss Fannie Helen.
MEMBERS, 25.

Twin City Hospital, Winston	$16 00
United Offering	1 00
Central Fund	1 00
Box for North Winston Mission	4 50
	$22 50

Summary of the Junior Auxiliary.

Branches, 35. Members, 891.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Thompson Orphanage	$237 60
Foreign Missions	69 29
Domestic Missions	46 34
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	45 39
Diocesan Missions	39 91
United Offering	35 26
Central Fund	20 55
St. Augustine's School	6 05
Church Periodical Club	1 40
Boxes, 21—Value	110 15
	$611 94

The Sixth Annual Report of the Babies' Branch.

On Holy Innocents' Day last, our Babies' Branch completed five years of service. Beginning with an effort to give twenty-five dollars annually to the Bishop Atkinson Cot, in Oji Orphanage (now Holy Trinity Orphanage, Oji, Japan), the work has gone on, the Babies giving each year not only to the support of the cot, but also to the Kindergarten work at St. Augustine's School and to the Thompson Orphanage, besides contributing to the United Offering of the Woman's Auxiliary, and once to the United Offering of the Babies' Branch.

The past year's work, as far as visible results are concerned, has been the smallest since the beginning, and I feel that the Director has been chiefly responsible. One parish received no boxes last year, and of course makes no report. In another parish, the members having all passed *two* years of age, consider themselves no longer babies and have all been promoted to the Junior grade, where they are doing faithful work.

Again, many mothers fail to send their children's gifts. On the other hand, there is much to encourage us. One of our strongest branches, which for the past two years has been resting, has again enlisted, and we trust is working with its old time enthusiasm. Another has doubled its membership, while in one of our larger Sunday Schools, the Infant Class has been furnished with boxes, and led by its faithful consecrated teacher, will doubtless do good work.

The offerings for the year are as follows:

To Holy Trinity Orphanage, Oji, Japan	$36 00
To. St. Augustine's School for the Kindergarten	9 00
To the Thompson Orphanage for Nurses' Fund	22 00
United Offering	4 00
Central Fund	10 08
Total	$81 08

I wish especially to urge upon the Secretaries and the mothers the importance of promptness in forwarding the Babies' gifts. It is said, "He gives twice, who gives quickly." It is, as a rule, true that they give most promptly who give most, both in gifts and in the love and interest which accompany the gifts.

The best working Branch in the Diocese where every baptized baby is a member is the one where gifts are first received, always without a reminder and before Christmas.

The total offering for the five years is $467.68.

This seems but little, but how much may it mean, if by the babies' gifts one little child be rescued from heathendom? and if, besides the work that they are doing in the Foreign, Domestic and Diocesan Fields, we think of the work going on in each baby's heart and life. We can only do our best to train these little ones in our midst and leave the result with God, and

"God's love joined to baby's
Can do all the rest."

A. T. Smith, Director.

RULES

For the Organization of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary.

1. This organization shall be called the NORTH CAROLINA BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

2. Its objects are, by means of union and systematic effort, to diffuse missionary intelligence; to increase missionary activity abong the women of the Diocese; to unite previously existing societies; and to encourage the formation of societies where there are none.

3. All parish societies, and all individuals desiring it, will be considered members of the Association.

4. The officers of this Association shall be a Diocesan Secretary, to be appointed by the Bishop, and an Assistant Secretary in each Convocation, to be appointed by the Dean.

5. The Diocesan Secretary shall call meetings and preside over them; shall correspond with the General Secretary and find out where help is needed, and of what kind; shall inform the parish Secretaries, and arrange about their work, so that a general oversight of the work may be kept by one person. She shall prepare an annual report for circulation in the Diocese; shall receive and forward all money offerings and shall keep account of money and articles contributed for missionary purposes by the parish branches or by individuals, and shall embody a full account of this work in the annual report.

6. The Assistant Secretaries shall try to increase missionary spirit in their respective Convocations, by arousing the women to greater efforts in raising money for the cause; and by diffusing intelligence concerning the mis-

sionary work of the Church. They are to search out scattered families and individuals belonging to the Church, and try to interest them in missionary work. And to correspond with the parish Secretaries and the Diocesan Secretary in regard to missionary work. The Assistant Secretaries are authorized to hold meetings in their own Convocations, whenever they consider it desirable.

7. The Secretaries of the parish branches shall correspond with the Diocesan Secretary, transmit the information received from her to their respective parish branches, and shall report to her by April 1st, in each year, an account of work done by their parish.

8. Each parish shall send one or more delegates to the annual meeting, if possible.

9. There shall be a meeting of this Association each year, during the Diocesan Convention.

10. Five persons shall constitute a quorum at all meetings.

11. To provide for the expenses of the Diocesan officers in postage, stationery and printing, or other matters, a contribution of 10 cents a year shall be asked from each member of the Woman's Auxiliary in North Carolina, to be collected by each parish Secretary and forwarded to the Diocesan Secretary by the 1st of April.

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The Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution

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Collects of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

O GOD, who hast prepared for those who love thee, such good things as pass man's understanding; pour into our hearts such love toward thee, that we, loving thee above all things, may obtain thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O LORD, without whom our labor is but lost, and with whom thy little ones go forth as the mighty; We humbly beseech thee to prosper the work we have undertaken in thy Holy Church, and grant to thy laborers a pure intention, patient faith, sufficient success upon earth, and the blessedness of serving thee in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O GOD, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off and to them that are nigh; Grant that all men everywhere may seek after thee and find thee. Bring the nations into thy fold, and add the heathen to thine inheritance. And we pray thee shortly to accomplish the number of thine elect, and to hasten thy kingdom, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O GOD, the Holy Spirit, sanctifier of thine elect, choose and prepare us, and teach us to know thy voice in our hearts that we may be thy handmaidens to do after thy blessed will; whom, with the Father and Son, we glorify as one God world without end. *Amen.*

For Noontide, Daily.

"And I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men, unto Me."

BLESSED SAVIOUR, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth thy loving arms; Grant that all mankind may look unto thee and be saved; through thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost ever one God, world without end. *Amen.*

Intercessory Days.

The eve of the feasts of:

St. Andrew.—Diocesan Missions. At the disposal of Bishop Cheshire.

The Epiphany.—Foreign. As designated by the Branch.

The Annunciation.—Domestic. At the disposal of Bishop of Asheville, unless otherwise designated.

The Transfiguration.—Thompson Orphanage.

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OFFICERS.

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Diocesan Secretary.
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Report of the Diocesan Secretary.

To the N. C. Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary.

My Dear Friends: To put into a few words the work of a whole year, and yet give a comprehensive report of what has been done and what left undone, demands concentration on my part, and patience on your part.

It is a joy to welcome you into our parish and in our homes, and an inspiration to look into your faces. And I can but hope that this day spent together, may be filled with holy thoughts, Godly counsel and devoted attention to duty, and prove thereby an earnest of the work we are to accomplish in the coming year. The work of the Auxiliary is practical, full of activity, and yet is educational and devotional. To neglect one for the other is a mistake; both must be held with even hand.

Since our meeting in May, 1901, the Diocese has been redivided into two convocations. The Convocation of Charlotte now embraces the former Convocation of Charlotte and Salisbury and a part of the former Convocation of Raleigh.

The Convocation of Raleigh embraces the remaining portion of the Convocation of Raleigh and the former Convocation of Tarboro. Each Convocation is subdivided into four districts. This has necessitated a change of officers and an increase in the number of Diocesan officials, which brings added zeal and strength. The resignation of Mrs. Van Landingham, two years ago, was a grievous loss to the work, and her loss has been felt more and more as the weeks and months change into years. Miss Hairston also felt constrained, this spring, to resign her duties because of home responsibilities; and to the Convocation of Charlotte has come an entire change

of officers, with the exception of our beloved Honorary Secretary, who is always faithful and interested in all church work and sustaining in every Auxiliary effort. She was our representative at the great Triennial Service and meeting in San Francisco. The long years of devotion to duty make her in every way most worthy of the honor and responsibility of the position, and she has returned to us enthused with missionary love and zeal, as was evidenced by the account she gave us last fall in *The Messenger of Hope* of the meeting in the Golden Gate City.

The death of Mrs. T. N. Hill, Secretary of the Convocation of Tarboro, occurred about the time of the redivision of the Diocese, and as the Convocations were united, the Bishop appointed the Secretary of Raleigh to have jurisdiction over the entire new Convocation of Raleigh, and appointed two District Secretaries to serve with her. The cheerfulness with which the appointees accepted the duties of the office of District Secretaries was gratifying and will be of incalculable service to the Auxiliary work. It may seem undue machinery, but we cling to our old theory, the woman.

The loss of Mrs. Hill has been severely felt throughout the Diocese, and particularly in the former Convocation of Tarboro. We can but sorrow for ourselves that we no longer are cheered by her presence and comforted by her words of counsel in our meetings as well as through correspondence; but we rejoice with her, that the sweet spirit has been called to higher duty, and the rest that awaits those who have served in His Courts. She was ever faithful at her post, and worked with a calmness that portrayed perfect faith in this rushing age of distrust.

The ill health of the Director of the Junior Department made it necessary for her to resign, and the Bishop has appointed Mrs. Murdock, of Salisbury, who is now discharging the duties of that office most acceptably. No

other changes of Diocesan officers have been necessary or have been made. Three new parochial branches have been organized in the Convocation of Charlotte, and four in the Convocation of Raleigh, making a total of seven new branches, and the work has been resumed in two other branches which did virtually nothing last year.

Last year seven branches reported that the four days set apart for Intercession for Missions had been observed; this year eight branches report a service on each of the four days, and one branch observes Missionary Friday, which is a substitute for the special day of intercession. Perhaps it may be well for me to remind the women that these seasons of Intercession for Missions are the result of a suggestion from the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Virginia, and fall on the eves of the Feasts of St. Andrew, Epiphany, Annunciation and Transfiguration. Their purpose is to bring the women of the Church everywhere together at an appointed time, that our prayers and our alms may go up as a memorial unto the Lord. They are seasons of refreshment for the soul. Why may we not draw apart from the world, and realize for an hour or two the sweetness that comes from Communion with our Lord and His faithful few. It is one of the privileges granted us over our sisters of the world. It is not necessary that we meet in Church—better, of course, in the House of God; but when that is not practicable, we are permitted to use the service in our homes or some other place of meeting, and know that, the world over, there are other women kneeling in prayer, offering the same petitions for the coming of the Kingdom of Christ. Shall not this year, then, mark an epoch in the history of the Auxiliary in this Diocese, for more earnestness in prayer, a deeper sense of personal attendance on the privileges granted the hand-maidens of the Lord?

The reports which come of the amount of study done,

are cold and literary. Certainly there is more intelligence of the work so far as knowledge of what the Church is doing in China, Japan, Africa and the isles of the sea goes. This is an age when women's clubs are the fad everywhere; in the city and the remotest country town women are intent on knowledge. Magazine Clubs, Literary Clubs, etc. And so Church Clubs are also becoming the fad and rank along with the Shakespeare Clubs. All this is well, we do not gainsay that; but how much more love would be expressed in our study, did we strive to know something of the daily lives of the missionaries and their dealings with the heathen, or worse than heathen, to whom they minister. Has it ever occurred to you to ask why we send only one-sixth of the salary to the missionary in Aomori, Japan. That there is a meaning to our sending only $100, no more, no less. Think it over and enquire, and learn if there is not just a golden thread which shall twist into cords of love binding the Carolinas and Virginia and Japan into closer union and fellowship. The gifts of money do not mean half so much to the receiver as to us who give. What we give must be the expression of love abiding in our hearts to make it acceptable. "The love of Christ constraineth us." When a line comes to me, saying find a mite enclosed, "I wish to have a share in that memorial and an interest in that work," then I am convinced that a treasure is laid up where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt. But when I, serving as your recorder and secretary, discern that the minimum sum set before us to be raised in one year, is falling short of our expectations, and when I send to every branch which is connected and supposed to have vital interest great as mine in the condition of the treasury, and receive in response reproach, I am overcome with disappointment and grief, that we feel it anything but a blessing and privilege to share our bounty. "The silver is Mine, and the gold is Mine, saith the Lord of Hosts."

Are we not all creatures on the bounty of a moment?

The failure to come up to our highest expectations is not due to failure on the part of any branch to give what that branch had hoped to give. But, because so many branches decline to state any sum, and consequently, neither give nor manifest any interest in the work in those fields. This trouble can be obviated only when each and every branch states clearly what objects it wishes to work for, and which it feels not obligated to give to. Then and then only can we learn the strength of the Diocesan branch as a united body.

And so, when we come together as we have to-day, to plan and confer and agree on what may be accomplished, it is simply that we may fulfil our destiny, "Go ye, teach all nations." And if our spirits run high or the Holy Spirit touches our hearts and we are moved to generous things, do we not lower our own characters, not to live and act up to our noblest inspirations? We have never been extravagant in our most exalted moments, in our promise of gifts for any work, and that we have not promised beyond our ability to give is manifest, from the fact that a little urging brings the money. To-day we have in the foreign field more than met our promise of gifts in each department, and in our gifts to Missions within the Diocese we have more than come up to the measure of necessity. The work at St. Augustine's alone needs the sum of $1.48 to complete our gifts. In money we have given more than ever before in the history of the Auxiliary work in the Diocese. And I feel encouraged to leave to you to say what shall be the limit of our gifts for the coming year. My own request shall be confined to the plea that we shall one and all pray that some soul in our midst shall be filled with the spirit of love that she may within a year give herself to the work. The cry in China for women workers is pitiful. And shall we ever turn a deaf ear? Will North Carolina

always remain content with working within her own horizon or shall we lift our eyes, and behold the fair land of promise and send a gleaner to bring in the grain ripe for the harvest?

May the God of our Fathers be with us in our prayer, and help us to realize that in Him alone is strength.

Faithfully yours,

MARY E. HORNER.

CENTRAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand	$7 83	
Woman's Auxiliary, 1901-02	60 21	
Junior Department, 1901-02	10 00	
Advertisements	15 00	
Communion Alms	6 37	
Offerings during the day	17 25	
		$116 66

EXPENDITURES.

Printing Reports	$58 60	
Mailing Reports	2 85	
Photos. for exhibit at San Francisco	11 00	
Express	1 75	
Stationery	2 15	
Miss Babcock's salary	4 51	
Programmes	1 25	
Report Blanks	2 50	
Rev. E. A. Osborne, bell	7 00	
St. Augustine's School	10 37	
Fork Church Mission	25	
Balance on hand	8 33	
		$116 66

United Diocesan Objects.

AMOUNTS SENT 1901-02.

Foreign.

Japan—Mrs. Babcock's salary	$100 00
Japan—Bishop Cheshire Scholarship, Holy Trinity Orphanage	45 00
Japan—Lindsay Patton Scholarship, Bishop McKim's disposal	38 40
Japan—Tokyo Hospital	15 05
China—At Bishop Ingle's disposal	50 00
China—At Bishop Graves' disposal	5 00

Domestic.

Valle Crucis, at Bishop Horner's disposal	201 77
Southern Fluid, at Bishop Grey's disposal	50 00
St. Augustine's School	48 52

Diocesan.

At Bishop Cheshire's disposal	203 17
Thompson Orphanage	383 13
Beaufort—General expenditures	8 10
Beaufort—Scholarships	40 00

MINUTES.

A meeting of the Diocesan officers of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of North Carolina was held Wednesday afternoon, June 11th, at 5 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Horner. There were present Miss Horner, Diocesan Secretary; Mrs. F. J. Murdock, Secretary of the Junior Department of the Auxiliary; Mrs. J. J. Battle, Secretary of the District of Edgecombe; Mrs. Dorian Blair, Secretary of the Districts of Guilford and Forsyth; Mrs. R. W. Winston, Secretary of the District of Granville; Mrs. A. B. Hunter, of the Advisory Board of the Junior Department; and Miss Katharine Hilliard, Secretary Oxford Branch, as Secretary of the meeting. The absence of the Honorary Secretary, the two Convocational Secretaries, and the other District Secretaries was much regretted.

It was decided to take up the suggestions made at the last annual meeting and act on them one by one. The result of this action being as follows: That it be suggested to the delegates at the annual meeting—

I. That the week preceding the Feast of the Annunciation be observed by the Auxiliary as a season of prayer and self-denial, the proceeds of self-denial to be offered on the vigil of the Feast, to be devoted to the work of the Bishop of Asheville or other Domestic Missions.

II. That the first week in Advent be observed in a similar manner, the fruits of self-denial to be given to Bishop Cheshire for work in the Diocese.

III. That the vigil of the Feast of the Transfiguration be observed as a day of intercession for missions, the special offering to be devoted to the Thompson Orphanage.

IV. That the delegates in session at the annual meeting decide upon the objects for which the Auxiliary shall work, and the amount they shall endeavor to raise, with the recommendation from the officer that the amount exceed that of last year.

V. That each parish branch send an offering for the general work of the Board of Missions to assist in raising the $100,000 for which Miss Emery made an appeal at the last General Convention.

VI. That definite courses of study be adopted and carried out by the different parish branches.

VII. That to avoid confusion, all moneys that the parish branches wish reported, be sent to the District Secretary.

The twentieth annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions was held in Oxford, on Thursday, June 12th, 1902. The Holy Communion was celebrated at 7 o'clock in St. Stephen's Church by the Bishop of the Diocese. At 9 o'clock a short service was held in the chapel of the graded school, and the regular session began with an address by the Bishop, in which he asked the women to take some part, however small, in each department of the missionary work, and commended them for having lived up to their name, the Woman's Auxiliary, which name sets forth the true character of their work.

Mrs. Busbee resigns as Secretary of the United Offering, Miss A. E. Smith, of Scotland Neck, appointed by the Bishop.

The roll was then called by Convocations and the following delegates responded:

DIOCESAN OFFICERS.

Convocation of Charlotte.

Mrs. Dorian Blair, Secretary of Districts of Guilford and Forsyth.

Convocation of Raleigh.

Mrs. J. J. Battle, Secretary of District of Edgecombe.
Mrs. R. W. Winston, Secretary of District of Granville.
Mrs. F. J. Murdock, Secretary of Junior Branch.

Parishes.

Burlington—Miss Mary Arrington.

Greensboro, St. Andrew's—Mrs. Cameron Gales, Mrs. C. J. Peck.

Greensboro, St. Barnabas—Mrs. Thos. Bell, Mrs. Jos. Hardie.

Leaksville—Mrs. Thos. R. Sharpe, Mrs. W. S. Martin.

Statesville—Mrs. Mott.

Salisbury—Mrs. F. J. Murdoch.

Raleigh, Good Shepherd—Miss Lucy Battle, Mrs. Harry Loeb.

Raleigh, St. Augustine's Chapel—Mrs. A. B. Hunter.

Southern Pines—Mrs. W. H. Gregory, Mrs. F. E. Shaw.

Henderson—Mrs. W. W. Parker, Miss Amy Butler.

Littleton—Mrs. Peter Spruill.

Durham—Mrs. J. H. Manning, Mrs. J. B. Hunter.

Chapel Hill—Miss Mary Manning, Mrs. Julia C. Graves.

Hillsboro—Mrs. Mary R. Hill.

Louisburg—Mrs. Frank Spruill, Mrs. W. A. Ruffin.

Oxford—Mrs. Louis de la Croix, Mrs. H. G. Cooper.

Stovall—Miss M. E. Gregory.

Goshen—Mrs. P. Thorpe.

Rocky Mount—Mrs. E. G. Muse.

Scotland Neck—Miss A. E. Smith, Miss Mary Phelps.

Tarboro—Mrs. T. Thrash.
Lawrence—Miss Cheshire.
Wilson—Mrs. H. G. Connor.
Weldon—Mrs. J. T. Chambers.

In addition to the regular delegates, there were present: Mrs. Herndon and Mrs. Saunders, of Durham; Mrs. McRae, of Chapel Hill; Mrs. Landis, of Raleigh; Mrs. Chevasse, Mrs. D. Y. Cooper, Mrs. M. E. Knight, Mrs. P. T. Jones, Mrs. Van Buchan, Miss R. Butler, Mrs. J. E. Ingle, of Henderson; Miss Margaret Jones, of St. Mary's School.

Miss Hilliard, in the name of Miss Horner and the Woman's Auxiliary of her town, gave a hearty greeting to the Convention, and expressed great pleasure that Church women from all parts of the Diocese could rejoice with them in the completion of their beautiful church, and take part in its consecration service.

The absence of the Honorary Secretary was regretted by all, but a letter of greeting from her was read, in which she asked that special attention be given the work of Bishop Rowe in Alaska, and urged that "The Spirit of Missions," which sets forth the labors and needs of the missionaries, be more widely read.

The Diocesan Secretary read her annual report and, in moving and earnest words, inspired the Convention with new zeal for the work—praying that some one woman among the number might give herself for work in the missionary field. She also stated that, since the last Convention, the districts of the Diocese had been reorganized, being now divided into two Convocations—those of Raleigh and Charlotte, with Secretaries appointed for each, and District Secretaries serving under them.

Encouraging reports were read by the Convocation and District Secretaries, showing an increase in interest and gifts, and reporting the formation of seven new branches in the Diocese.

A report was read by Mrs. Murdoch, the new Director of the Junior Department of the Auxiliary. In the absence of Mrs. Smith, the Director of the Babies' Branch, Mrs. Spruill read the report. After the reading a motion was made and carried that Mrs. Spruill be nominated for appointment by the Bishop, as assistant in this department. Appointment was later confirmed by the Bishop.

An interesting letter was read from Bishop Horner, thanking the Auxiliary for the help they had given in the Missionary Jurisdiction of Asheville. He described some of the earnest work being done by the missionaries and also his plan of grouping together several missions—thereby uniting and strengthening the work.

A touching tribute was paid to Mrs. Hill, late Secretary of the Convocation of Tarboro, who has gone to her reward since the last meeting.

The noontide prayer was said by Mrs. Bell, of Greensboro, and the order of business for the day was again resumed. Suggestions from the Diocesan officers were brought forward for consideration and adopted. Appeals were heard from Miss Hairston for help to build a Sunday School room at Fork Church, from Waynesville for a rectory, and from the Auxiliary of the Diocese of Washington to assist in raising a salary for a traveling companion for the Bishop of Alaska.

At the afternoon session the Rev. Walter J. Smith gave a talk upon the subject of the Thompson Orphanage, which depends largely upon the help of the Woman's Auxiliary. Among its needs are furniture for matron's room and a piano.

The unfinished business of the morning was taken up and a letter was read from Mrs. Jeffroy, acknowledging the receipt of aid in building her school, and a report from Miss Cameron, Secretary of the Church Periodical Club. The parish branches were urged to take up more earnestly the C. P. C. work.

The Convention was particularly interested in an account given by Mrs. Hunter of the work done at St. Augustine's School. She stated that the daily Church services had done much to improve the condition and discipline of the school; dwelt upon the satisfactory work done in Raleigh by graduates of the nurses' department; and stated that all girls in the school were trained for some kind of house work, and had been found to be most efficient servants. The amount from Communion alms was appropriated, by motion, to St. Augustine, and a collection taken up at the meeting for the same object, to complete the $50 for that object.

Interesting letters were read from Miss Emery to the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary; also from Miss Babcock, of Aomori, Japan, and from Dr. Glenton, of Wuchang, China.

Mrs. Connor told the women of a mission started at Elm City by the Rev. Carey Gamble, of Wilson, and asked that aid be given him in building a church at that place.

The Rev. Mr. Osborne, Archdeacon of the Convocation of Charlotte, was called upon for an address, and afterwards a collection was taken up for a bell to be used in the church of one of the missions in which he had interested his hearers.

In accordance with suggestions from the Diocesan officers, resolutions were passed to adopt the following objects for united Diocesan work, and that the Auxiliary purposes to raise not less than the following sums:

Appropriation for General Board, undesignated.

Miss Babcock's salary	$100 00
Bishop Cheshire Scholarship	36 00
Lindsay Patton Scholarship	25 00
China, at the disposal of Bishop Ingle	50 00

Jurisdiction of Asheville, at disposal of Bishop Horner	200 00
St. Augustine's School	50 00
Southern Florida, disposal of Bishop Grey	50 00
Diocesan, at the disposal of Bishop Cheshire	200 00
Traveling companion for Bishop Rowe	20 00
Miss Hairston, Fork Church	25 00
Thompson Orphanage, undesignated.	

After a vote of thanks given Miss Horner and the Oxford Branch for their great kindness and hospitality, the Convention closed with the singing of the Doxology and the Benediction pronounced by the Rev. W. J. Smith.

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Assistant Secretary.

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Convocation of Charlotte.

District of Forsyth.

PARISHES.	Members.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS.					Thompson Orphanage.	C. P. C.	Total.	Boxes.	Value.
			United Offering	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.					
Elkin, Galloway Memorial..	3	$ 30	$5 00	....	.....	.....	.....	$5 00	.....	$10 30	...	.....
Germanton.....	1	.....	.....	$2 00	.....	.....	.....	3 50	.....	5 50	...	.....
Walnut Cove.....	1	.....	1 11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 11	...	.....
Winston, St. Paul's..	25	5 00	6 00	6 00	$31 00	$5 00	$2 00	7 00	.....	62 00	1	$52 75
	30	$5 30	$12 11	$8 00	$31 00	$5 00	$2 00	$15 50	.....	$78 91	1	$52 75

Convocation of Charlotte.

District of Guilford.

PARISHES.	Members.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	C. P. C.	Total.	Boxes.	Value.
Burlington, St. Athanasius	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$37 35	.....	.....	$37 35	2	$40 00
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	18	$2 00	$3 00	.....	$6 01	$9 90	4 25	.....	.....	25 16	1	5 00
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	36	2 60	5 00	.....	17 30	5 65	25	$5 00	.....	35 80	1	15 00
Leaksville, Epiphany	15	1 40	5 85	$4 35	6 50	5 75	.....	5 00	.....	28 85	...	.....
Stoneville, Emmanuel	6	.....	.....	.....	85	80	.....	.....	78	2 43	1	3 50
	99	$6 00	$13 85	$4 35	$30 66	$22 10	$41 85	$10 00	78	$129 59	5	$63 50

Convocation of Charlotte.

District of Mecklenburg.

PARISHES.	Members.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	C. P. C.	Total.	Boxes.	Value.
Charlotte, St. Peter's	100	$4 61	$17 20	.....	$41 45	$45 69	$10 00	$10 85	.....	$129 80	1	$ 25
Bristow, St. Mark's	17	1 70	1 26	$11 89	11	1 80	1 57	35	.....	18 68	...	.....
Munroe, St. Paul's	13	1 30	3 67	.....	.....	.....	1 00	.....	.....	5 97	2	22 00
Wadesboro, Calvary	10	1 00	5 50	.....	3 50	3 35	4 50	11 00	.....	28 85	1	25 00
	140	$8 61	$27 63	$11 89	$45 06	$50 84	$17 07	$22 20	.....	$183 30	4	$72 00

Convocation of Charlotte.

District of Rowan.

PARISHES.	Members.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS.					Thompson Orphanage.	C. P. C.	Total.	Boxes.	Value.
			United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.					
Concord, All Saints	16	$1 60	.....	.....	$2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	$3 60	...	.....
Fork Church Mission	3	.....	$2 00	.....	.....	.....	$5 00	$5 00	.....	12 00	...	.....
Salisbury, St. Luke's	30	3 00	5 00	.....	10 00	$5 00	5 00	33 50	.....	61 50	...	.....
	49	$4 60	$7 00	.....	$12 00	$5 00	$10 00	$38 50	.....	$77 10	...	.....

Convocation of Raleigh.

District of Edgecombe.

PARISHES.	Members.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	C. P. C.	Total.	Boxes.	Value.
Halifax, St. Mark's	8	$ 80	$3 00	.....	.....	$2 40	.....	$1 50	.....	$7 70	1	$16 26
Jackson, Church of our Savior	9	90	11 10	.....	$4 00	7 25	.....	5 00	.....	28 25	...	.....
Lawrence Mission	20	1 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	$3 00	.....	.....	4 50	...	.....
Rocky M'nt, Good Shepherd.	30	2 50	.....	.....	10 50	5 00	5 00	5 00	.....	28 00	1	40 00
Scotland Neck, Trinity	31	3 10	10 00	.....	3 00	4 00	5 00	3 25	$1 00	29 35	1	40 00
Tarboro, Calvary	31	3 00	14 92	.....	13 00	12 50	5 00	12 83	.....	61 25	1	27 00
Weldon, Grace	21	2 10	7 02	.....	4 00	3 00	2 00	11 50	.....	29 62	1	46 00
Wilson, St. Timothy	21	2 10	7 31	.....	10 00	11 15	5 00	15 00	.....	50 56	1	24 00
	171	$16 00	$53 35	.....	$44 50	$45 30	$25 00	$54 08	$1 00	$239 23	6	$193 26

Convocation of Raleigh.

District of Granville.

PARISHES.	Members.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS.					Thompson Orphanage.	C. P. C.	Total.	Boxes.	Value.
			United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.					
Durham, St. Philip's	26	$2 65	$33 10	.....	$34 00	$44 55	$18 00	$48 60	$2 00	$182 90	3	$43 15
Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross	20	2 00	4 00	.....	1 00	3 00	1 00	8 00	.....	19 00	1	10 00
Goshen, St. Paul's	2	No	report									
Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	25	2 50	46 38	$2 00	5 90	20 10	7 75	24 00	.....	108 63	1	60 00
Louisburg, St. Paul's	9	.....	5 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	36 75	.....	41 75	1	20 00
Oxford, St. Stephen's	31	1 60	9 00	12 00	12 46	45 00	11 00	9 10	1 50	101 66	3	22 80
Stovall, St. Peter's	2	No	report									
	115	$8 75	$97 48	$14 00	$53 36	$112 65	$37 75	$126 45	$3 50	$453 94	9	$155 93

Convocation of Raleigh.

District of Vance.

PARISHES.	Members.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	C. P. C.	Total.	Boxes.	Value.
Henderson, Holy Innocents..	53	$1 20	$9 56	$55 00	$30 52	$35 53	$5 55	$47 81	.....	$185 17	...	.....
Littleton, St. Alban's.....	11	1 30	.....	9 83	3 05	.....	.....	.....	$2 00	16 18	...	.....
Warrenton, Emmanuel.....	1	.....	7 30	.....	.....	.....	15 00	.....	.....	22 30	1	$23 00
Ridgeway, Good Shepherd...	1	.....	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	...	.....
	66	$2 50	$17 86	$64 83	$33 57	$35 53	$20 55	$47 81	$2 00	$224 65	1	$23 00

Convocation of Raleigh.

District of Wake.

PARISHES.	Members.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	C. P. C.	Total.	Boxes.	Value.
Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew's.	13	.....	$10 00	.....	$3 25	$1 00	.....	$26 25	.....	$40 50	2	$59 00
Raleigh, Christ's Church.....	34	$2 70	22 63	$5 00	25 00	10 00	$15 60	.....	$2 00	82 93	...	.....
Raleigh, Good Shepherd.....	32	1 90	25 00	7 00	36 65	40 35	12 70	12 00	.....	135 60	4	121 63
Raleigh, St. Mary's School...	19	1 65	5 66	10 00	.....	17 15	12 65	14 34	.....	61 45	2	5 00
Raleigh, St. Augustine's Chapel.....	12	1 20	13 09	5 00	26 00	3 05	2 00	2 00	.....	52 34	...	.....
Raleigh, St. Ambrose.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 50	.....	.....	...	.....
Southern Pines, Emmanuel..	18	1 00	10 00	15 00	7 00	22 00	5 00	12 50	.....	72 50	...	.....
	128	$8 45	$86 38	$42 00	$97 90	$93 55	$47 95	$68 59	$2 00	$446 82	8	$185 62

Summary Table of Woman's Auxiliary.

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.	Members.	Central Fund.	MISSIONS. United Offering.	Specials.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage	C. P. C.	Total.	Boxes.	Value.
Forsyth District	30	$5 30	$12 11	$8 00	$31 00	$5 00	$2 00	$15 50	.....	$78 91	1	$52 75
Guilford District	99	6 00	13 85	4 35	30 66	22 10	41 85	10 00	$ 78	129 59	5	63 50
Mecklenburg District	140	8 61	27 63	11 89	45 06	50 84	17 07	22 20	.....	183 30	4	72 10
Rowan District	49	4 60	7 00	.....	12 00	5 00	10 00	38 50	.....	77 10	...	.....
CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.												
Edgecombe District	171	16 00	53 35	.....	44 50	45 36	25 00	54 08	1 00	239 23	6	193 26
Granville District	115	8 75	97 48	14 00	53 36	112 65	37 75	126 45	3 50	453 95	9	155 95
Vance District	66	2 50	17 86	64 83	33 57	35 53	20 55	47 81	2 00	224 65	1	23 00
Wake District	128	8 45	86 38	42 00	97 90	93 55	47 95	68 59	2 00	446 82	8	185 63
Total	798	$60 21	$315 66	$145 07	$348 05	$369 97	$202 17	$383 13	$9 28	$1,833 54	34	$746 09

Report of the Secretary of the Junior Department of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Having been appointed by the Bishop, Secretary of the Junior Auxiliary, I submit the following report for the Diocesan year, ending May 1st, 1902:

Thirty-four Parish branches, with 1,134 members. Two new branches have been formed during the year. One has disbanded and two failed to send any report. The work during the year sums up as follows: Thompson Orphanage, $181.52; Foreign Missions, $125.06; Domestic Missions, $70.14; Diocesan Missions, $24.73; United Offering, $12.71; Central Fund, $22.36; Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan, $45.97. Twenty-two missionary boxes have been sent, valued at $140. Total amount contributed, $622.49.

As we each contribute our "mite," it is hard to realize how much our united efforts are accomplishing. Hence the importance of bringing all the children into this great work—making them understand the power of united effort, teaching them how important each penny is in making the grand total, filling them with a desire to help. We cannot all be missionaries, but we can all do something. First, we must pray for mission, for prayer should be the corner-stone of all our work. Then we must read and think about those whom we are endeavoring to aid. Nothing arouses enthusiasm so much as knowing. Some one has wisely said, "Know, and you will feel; know, and you will pray; know, and you will give." It is recommended that one Sunday in each month be set apart as Missionary Sunday, when all the classes in Sunday School shall be instructed in missionary work, and the offering on that day shall be for missions. By this means,

many are reached who could not be reached otherwise, and interest awakened. The work laid out for another year is as follows:

First. The Thompson Orphanage. Too much cannot be said in praise of this noble institution, which not only educates and cares for fatherless children in our midst, but year after year sends out those thoroughly trained in the doctrines and customs of our beloved Church, thereby spreading Christ's Kingdom far and wide. The value of such an institution cannot be estimated.

Second. Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan. In beautiful Japan we have undertaken to care for another little orphan—a little girl. We must fulfil this pledge. Read about Mr. Ishii's home for helpless little girls, and you will not fail to be interested in this work.

Third. The United Offering. At the Triennial Convention held in San Francisco last fall, $105,000 was laid on the altar for missionary work; in this offering all the branches of the Auxiliary throughout the American Church unite. Every Branch should be represented. Let us do our part, remembering that "with such sacrifices God is well pleased."

Fourth. St. Augustine's School. The Church endorses this work among colored people. Here Rev. and Mrs. Hunter have faithfully and efficiently carried on the work of training colored people to be useful and self-supporting—directing their spiritual and moral character under the influence of the Church.

Fifth. The Central Fund. This is an obligation of five cents per year from each member. It is used to send out leaflets, reports, &c.; also, to help pay for printing this book.

I am sure that each branch will be able to help one of these objects. At least send a missionary box. All the children can help in this. Send such things as you would like yourself. However simple the gift, see that it is

fresh and whole. I will be glad to make suggestions to any who wish information.

In conclusion, dear Juniors, I beg your hearty co-operation in this work. While we deplore Mrs. Watters' resignation, let us "put our shoulders to the wheel," renewing our efforts from day to day, remembering that, however many may be the trials and discouragements that confront us,

> "A Heavenly race demands our zeal,
> And an immortal crown."

Sincerely,

LILA M. MURDOCH.

Seventh Annual Report of the North Carolina Babies' Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Bishop Atkinson Cot, Holy Trinity Orphanage, Oji, Japan	$36 00
Thompson Orphanage, Nurse's Fund	30 00
St. Augustine's School, Kindergarten	5 00
United Offering	2 00
United Offering of the Babies' Branch	2 00
Central Fund	14 93
	$89 93

MRS. W. J. SMITH, Director.

Thirteenth Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club in the Diocese of North Carolina.

My Dear Miss Horner: In submitting the thirteenth Annual Report of our Diocesan Branch of the Church Periodical Club, I must once more reiterate the impossibility of accurately reporting a work, the story of which can only be told in figures when those figures are not all told to me. My report must be compiled from those sent in by the parish Librarians, and when they either fail to report at all, or speak in general terms of "a package" or "a number of," &c., I cannot reduce unknown quantities to definite figures, and so that much must be omitted from my sum total.

Until our Librarians shall all learn the obligations of office, that all officers are expected to give an account of their stewardship, and to do so in the form prepared for such accounts, we will never know just what has been done.

Of the twenty-five parishes nominally connected with the C. P. C. work, eight, viz: Christ Church, Raleigh; Holy Innocents, Henderson; St. Paul's, Winston-Salem; Grace Church, Warrenton; St. John's, Grifton; Emmanuel Mission, Southern Pines; St. Luke's, Salisbury, and St. Paul's, Louisburg, have no Librarians. Four of the other seventeen, viz: the Good Shepherd, Raleigh; Chapel of the Cross, Littleton; St. Stephen's, Oxford, and the Mission in Rockingham, failed to send in reports. According to the numbers given by the thirteen Librarians, who did report, we are sending out regularly 90 current periodicals, and have sent out 9 Bibles, 28 Prayer Books and Hymnals, 522 books of all sorts, 7 tracts, 32 Catechisms, 1,332 odd numbers of magazines and papers, 32 cards and calendars, 15 pictures, 4 games, two boxes, one barrel, and two packages of literature. Sixty-nine persons are contributing to the work, and thirty people have given money for it.

The whole amount, as reported, however, is only $13.00, of which sum $10.52 was sent to the Central Office in New York, and $2.48 used by the parish branches for their expenses. The parishes contributing to the Central Office were Hillsboro, Greensboro, Littleton, St. Mary's School, Raleigh, Scotland Neck and Wadesboro. St. Andrew's Parish, Greensboro, under its able and efficient Librarian, sets an example that I wish all the others would follow. It has pledged a monthly contribution by each member of one or more two-cent postage stamps, and by this small assessment of itself it will materially increase our contributions to the Central Office,

ALWAYS MY SORE SPOT.

Calvary Church, Wadesboro, has done more giving than any parish branch. The diligent and zealous Librarian has sent in four dollars collected "in highways and byways, here a little and there a little." Oh, that all of our branches would do the same!

Until we realize that giving is a privilege and blessing, we will not rise to the full measure of our possibilities of growth and grace.

I have written 117 letters and 26 postal cards, sent out 20 report blanks, and 24 reports, and spent something over $3.00 for postage.

I have written to several of the parishes not connected with this branch of the Auxiliary work, but have received no encouragement from those who replied to my letters—which, however, as a rule, are *not* answered at all; the obligations of courtesy applying apparently only to social and secular correspondence.

The Librarian at Southern Pines has lately written me that she resigned more than a year ago, and my dear friend and once good worker at Grifton, so faithful and generous in all things, passed suddenly into the Higher Life last November.

We will, therefore, have to give up Grifton, which be-

longs to the Diocese of East Carolina, as it was only personal friendship that made Mrs. Hanahan work with us.

I have had the great pleasure this spring, after twelve years of diligent effort, of enrolling both of the Greensboro parishes as new branches of our work; and I am greatly encouraged by this success. I hope the day is not far distant when all of our parishes will recognize this work as one so far reaching in its possibilities of good that we cannot afford to do without its helpful agency in our labors to spread the Kingdom of Christ and teach what a little cousin of mine wisely calls "The Eleventh Commandment:" "A new commandment give I unto you, that ye love one another."

When we love, our first impulse is to give, and so it will be in this case when we all fully understand just what the C. P. C. stands for; what it is to those who receive its ministrations. It means so much of pleasure, comfort and information, and it costs so little in time, trouble and expense.

If you could only see some of the letters that are written to the C. P. C. officers, setting forth the great and crying need for literature all over the country, "and unto the isles of the sea," you would feel as if you had been cruel whenever you found a magazine lying about your house after it had been read.

Listen to what the Church Periodical Club is; what it does, and what it needs. And then, dear friends, when you go home, see to it that all of your parishes take up the work, and each member does what she can to support it, for His sake, who went about doing good, and who will not "forget your labor of love, who have ministered unto His saints and yet do minister."

Respectfully submitted, REBECCA CAMERON,
Correspondent Church Periodical Club, Diocese of North Carolina.

Hillsborough, N. C., May 23d, 1902.

"The Church Periodical Club."

What It Is. What It Does. What It Needs.

I. What it is:

It is a Society formed for the purpose of supplying periodicals and books to those of the clergy and laity who are unable to procure good literature in any other way.

II. What it does:

I. It obtains from the different Bishops, names and addresses of those persons who need books and periodicals.

II. It appeals to those who have periodicals to send them, when read, regularly every week or month, to the persons who ask for them, always prepaying postage.

III. It keeps lists of the donors and of the recipients of such periodicals, so that a change in the address of either may be at once noted, and that any magazine, when discontinued, may be quickly replaced. This part of the work is very arduous.

IV. It receives packages of books and papers, notes contents and sends out lists to the clergy, afterwards forwarding to each one, for his Reading Room or Sunday School, such books, etc., as he needs.

V. It sends out also Christmas and Easter Cards, Prayer Books, Hymnals, Bibles, Carol Service, Leaflets, Games, etc., to Schools and Reading Rooms.

III. What it needs:

I. It needs books and magazines to supply the constant demand.

II. It needs money.

a. To pay for the room where the books, etc., are received, and in which several clerks are constantly employed.

b. To pay the salaries of the clerks.

c. To pay postage on the letters and postals sent out during the year.

d. To pay postage, expressage or freight on the books and papers forwarded from the Central Office, as these are generally sent in, entirely unaccompanied by money.

III. It needs the interest and the prayers of every person in the Church.

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No Librarian.

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No Librarian.

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Librarian deceased.

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No Librarian.

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Miss Rebecca Cameron,
P. O. Box 32, Hillsboro, North Carolina.

CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE CENTRAL OFFICE.

Trinity Church, Scotland Neck	$1 00
Miss L. G. Capehart, Littleton	2 00
Miss Rebecca Cameron, Hillsboro	1 00
Miss Helen L. Webb, Hillsboro	1 00
Miss Hamilton, Hillsboro	25
Miss W. McKimmon, St. Mary's, Raleigh	84
St. Andrew's, Greensboro	43
Calvary Church, Wadesboro	4 00
	$10 52

Seventh Annual Report of the Babies' Branch.

The growth of the Babies' Branch in the past year has not been very vigorous, yet here and there increased knowledge and interest have been manifested, and I trust, on the whole, we are in a condition to make real advance.

Since Holy Innocents' Day, Hand Books of the Babies' Branch have been procured for each parish Secretary, and new and more substantial boxes furnished to the members. Our Central expenses have consequently been unusually heavy, but as the boxes are intended to last several years and the books to add new and more earnest workers, I trust the money has been well spent. It is to the parish Secretaries and to the Directors that we must look for results. The babies are *here,* and when the work is properly presented, the mothers show a willingness to undertake it. And when the weekly penny is *regularly* and *prayerfully* given, not many mothers wish to forego the privilege of doing this sweet work in baby's name, this work which is to bring to our little Japanese, Toka, all the blessings of the Gospel of Christ, besides bringing comfort and help to little ones nearer home.

And so I *urge* each Secretary to renewed diligence and more earnest effort in the future, both in adding new members and in collecting and promptly forwarding the offerings at the close of the year. I say *each* Secretary, but there *are some* in the Diocese who come up to their full measure of duty and constantly put your Director to shame for her own failings. Let us, then, endeavor to provoke one another to love and good works, and so increase our efforts that our next offering may indeed be a worthy one—certainly not less than the one hundred dollars that we ought to raise every year. Only to one object do we pledge a definite amount. The Bishop Atkinson cot

in Holy Trinity Orphanage, Oji, Japan, always receives $36.00. Shall we not this year give our own Orphanage $50.00? And shall we not send to St. Augustine's more than the few dollars sent from our last offering? I leave these questions for you and me to answer. Upon *us* rests the responsibility.

Since the beginning of this year, two new branches have been formed, making the present number about twenty-two. Several of the branches have only one member.

Our gifts for the past year were as follows:

Bishop Atkinson Cot, Holy Trinity Orphanage, Oji, Japan	$36 00
St. Augustine's School, for Kindergarten	5 00
Thompson Orphanage, Nurse's Fund	30 00
Central Fund	14 93
United Offering, Woman's Auxiliary	2 00
United Offering, Babies' Branch	2 00
Total	$89 93

Mrs. W. J. Smith,
Director.

CENTRAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

From Junior Auxiliary Branches, 1901-1902	$22 36

EXPENDITURES.

Printing Junior reports	$10 00
Stationery and postage	5 90
Balance on hand	6 46
	$22 36

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Parish Branches.

PARISH BRANCHES.	Members.	Central Fund.	United Offering.	Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.	Thompson Orphanage.	Boxes.	Value.	Total.
Balance		$2 06		$4 00						$6 06
Burlington, St. Athanatius	45			4 00			25	1		4 25
Bristow, St. Mark's	7						$35 00			35 00
Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross	5									
Charlotte, St. Peter's	150									
Charlotte, Thompson Orphanage	64	1 00		1 68	$1 87		65	1	$4 50	9 70
Durham, St. Philip's	25				5 00		1 00	1	8 00	14 00
Euto, St. Timothy	12						1 00	1	2 00	3 00
Greensboro, St. Andrew	10	50		25			5 00	2	8 00	13 75
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	20	1 00	$1 00	1 00			1 00	1	5 50	9 50
Halifax, St. Mark's	4	20	19	19		$1 18	50			2 26
Henderson, Holy Innocents	12						2 94			2 94
Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	14	1 00		2 00	2 00		2 00	1	9 30	16 30
Iredell Co., Shinsville, St. James	13									
Jackson, Church of our Saviour	8	40	1 95	2 00			4 00			8 35
Leaksville, Epiphany	10	25		2 00	2 08		2 00			6 33
Littleton, "Pure Hearts"	5			1 50			12 20	1		13 70
Louisburg, St. Paul's	7	50					4 02	1	5 00	9 52
Monroe, St. Paul's	15									
Orange Co., St. Mary's	3	10	1 00	1 00	11 30	4 50				17 90
Oxford, St. Stephen's	16	80		1 00	1 00	2 00	10 13	1	8 40	23 33
Pittsboro, "Mary Lippett"	6			12 65	10 00					22 65
Raleigh, Christ Church	125			5 00						5 00
Raleigh, Church of Good Shepherd	19				5 00			2	35 30	35 30
Raleigh, St. Augustine's School	125	4 10	2 00	22 11	8 00	4 00	5 00			45 21
St. Augustine's Chapel	167	2 18	2 40	21 52	3 00	4 67	5 00			38 77
Raleigh, St. Mary's	110	3 45		30 00	13 90		35 55	3	11 00	93 90
Ridgeway, Good Shepherd	10			5 00	50		3 40	1	5 00	13 90
Salisbury, St. Luke's	10	50				5 00		1	10 00	15 50
Scotland Neck, Trinity	25	1 37	1 38	1 38	1 37	1 38	10 21			17 09
Southern Pines, Emmanuel	17	60	1 29	35 05	3 12		3 73			43 79
Wadesboro, "Bishop Gray"	12	60		1 40	2 00	2 00	7 00	1	7 50	20 50
Warrenton, "Gilbert Higgs"	30		1 50	10 00			13 84	1	18 00	43 34
Weldon, Grace Church	15	75		1 30			4 84			6 89
Wilson, St. Timothy	18	1 00		5 00			11 26	2	7 50	24 76
	1134	$22 36	$12 71	$171 03	$70 14	$24 73	$181 52	22	$140 00	$622 49

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Collects of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

O GOD, who hast prepared for those who love thee, such good things as pass man's understanding; pour into our hearts such love toward thee, that we, loving thee above all things, may obtain thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O LORD, without whom our labor is but lost, and with whom thy little ones go forth as the mighty; We humbly beseech thee to prosper the work we have undertaken in thy Holy Church, and grant to thy laborers a pure intention, patient faith, sufficient success upon earth, and the blessedness of serving thee in heaven; throught Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O GOD, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off and to them that are nigh; Grant that all men everywhere may seek after thee and find thee. Bring the nations into thy fold, and add the heathen to thy inheritance. And we pray thee shortly to accomplish the number of thine elect, and to hasten thy kingdom, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O GOD, the Holy Spirit, sanctifier of thine elect, choose and prepare us, and teach us to know thy voice in our hearts that we may be thy handmaidens to do after thy blessed will; whom, with the Father and Son, we glorify as one God world without end. *Amen.*

For Noontide, Daily.

"And I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men, unto Me."

BLESSED SAVIOUR, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth thy loving arms; Grant that all mankind may look unto thee and be saved; through thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost ever one God, world without end. *Amen.*

Intercessory Days.

The eve of the feasts of:

St. Andrew.—Diocesan Missions. At the disposal of Bishop Cheshire.

The Epiphany.—Foreign. As designated by the Branch.

The Annunciation.—Domestic. At the disposal of Bishop of Asheville, unless otherwise designated.

The Transfiguration.—Thompson Orphanage.

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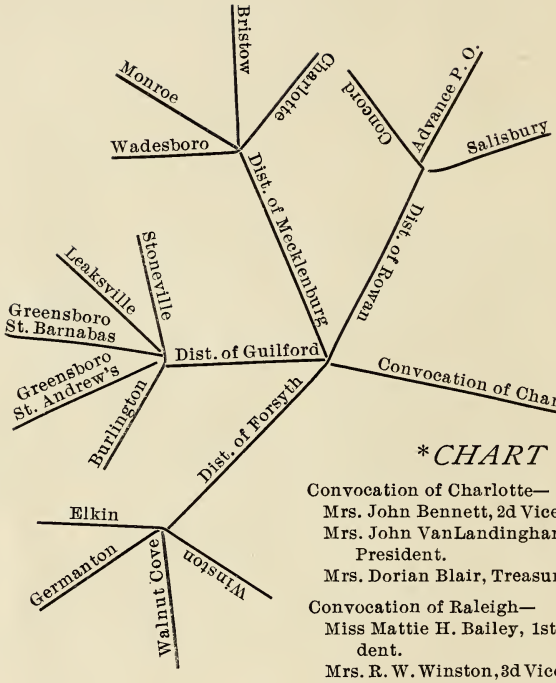

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Rt. Rev. Father in God, and Members of the Woman's Auxiliary:

One year ago we believed that through a process of crystalization we had become a great and well organized body of workers, all laboring together, under our Executive Head, the Board of Missions, to speed the Coming of the Kingdom.

In giving an account of my stewardship at the end of the year, I rejoice to be able to report that the work has gone steadily forward. The bond of Christian love has been strengthened and growth in many directions has marked the year's work. Harmony and good will have prevailed, and faithfulness has stamped the work of the assistant officers in each appointed task. Yet there are some changes in the methods of conducting the work which seem advisable, for though true and faithful service has been rendered, the results do not seem to be commensurate. Therefore, after conferring with my coworkers, I suggest for the future success of this organization, that you shall appoint a President and a number of Vice-Presidents, with a Diocesan Treasurer and a Diocesan Secretary, whose duty shall be to govern and direct the work in its various departments. Such a mode of government should increase interest and zeal, and lessen the labor for all.

At the beginning of the year we hoped to obtain the very essence of religion as manifested by the Missionary Spirit. And now it seems well to glance back and see how far our ideals have been realized.

If we measure ourselves numerically, we have little of which to boast, for our membership is not more than it was a year ago; this may be due to carelessness in numbering the people. Granting this, even, the number of women enrolled should be counted twice over. Baptism

secures to us the privilege of membership, and a yearly fine of ten cents enrolls us active members. Yet, year after year, we come in ranks of seven or eight hundred, and many of us even then are lukewarm and half-hearted. My fellow-laborers, it may be the eleventh hour, but the call is still ringing clear and full, why may we not incite one another, gather women and children and speed us into the vineyard, and labor there while it is yet day? Enthusiasm should be the watchword.

If we measure ourselves by our Gifts, we have made decided gain, for $294.48 more than ever before has been poured into the treasury, and we have sent into the missionary field $2,283.41 in money, and $533.46 in boxes, not including the Junior Department and the Babies' Branch.

During the year 1903-'04, from June to June, we have sent—

For Diocesan Missions.

At Bishop Cheshire's disposal	$251 50
Thompson Orphanage	483 22
Specials	136 50

Domestic.

At Bishop Horner's disposal—Asheville	230 05
Bishop Grey—Florida	44 00
Bishop Rowe's companion—Alaska	36 47
Beaufort—Mrs. Geoffroy	69 12
St. Augustine's School	50 00

Foreign.

Japan—Miss Babcock's salary	92 30
Japan—Bishop Cheshire Scholarship	47 02
Japan—Lindsay Patton Scholarship	35 75
China—Bishop Ingle	34 50
Apportionment	129 16
United Offering	336 08

Measuring ourselves by Study, we have made decided progress, for there has been a systematic course of study pursued by many of the branches, for the purpose of acquainting themselves with the progress of the Kingdom, and for putting themselves in a position to know where to extend sympathy as well as where to expend money.

And lastly, if we measure ourselves by Prayer, we have good hope of having obtained spiritual growth; for a larger number of Intercessory Days has been observed than ever before, with a larger attendance on the part of the members of the various branches, and a Quiet Day was kept in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh. These are means to bring us unto the "measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ."

The Quiet Day marked an epoch in the history of the Diocesan Branch. Led by Dr. Roper, of the General Theological Seminary, many drew apart for hours of communion and refreshment with the Master. There we had opportunity to learn new truths, and the power of leaning on our Great Exemplar, in prayer and intercession. So, guided in meditation and petition, we might grasp things divine, and come nearer the throne than ever before, and go away better equipped to serve, wherever our Lord and Master leads the way.

A year ago the Bishop of Vermont told us that "the life of the Church is her missionary spirit;" to-day he says, "In His Kingdom the measure of Service is the measure of Greatness." And so I feel in duty bound to add to my commendation an urgent appeal, for the work yet to be done is greater than that which has been done. Seeking grace, practising humility, and sharing, in a way, the good things of life vouchsafed to us, is far from fulfilling our highest obligation. Until the vital *self* has been touched, and some woman among us offers herself without reserve or restrictions for the Master's use, our prayers and our alms are weak.

This fall "Our great Triennial Feast of Thankfulness" is to be rendered in Boston, and our United Offerings to be laid on God's Altar for the support of women workers. The resolution for 1904 reads: "For the Board of Missions for woman's work in the domestic and foreign fields, including the training, sending and support of women workers; this to be interpreted to include Brazil, Hayti, Cuba and Mexico. It is also to be understood that this resolution includes the care of sick and disabled women." My friends, this Triennial Service is the grandest, most inspiring for women, rendered in the United States, for it is the assembling of our representative women from all over the world; and the expression of love, joy and self-sacrifice is found in the gifts laid on God's Altar. To few of us is granted the privilege of being present for the service, and so we miss the inspiration; but I earnestly beg that every woman shall make diligent effort to have herself represented by her alms and prayers on that great day. Let North Carolina do her duty nobly, as she has ever done. Our United Offering treasury holds at present $556.56, besides the interest, and $83.75 from the Junior Department. Our share in the offering of 1901 was $774.96; thus you realize that we have much to do to bring the figures to the proportionate increase natural from three years of growth. Work, not Rest, must fill the summer days.

No appeal made to us through Miss Emery should find more ready response than the Apportionment, because it goes direct to the root of all giving, unselfishness; $129.16 collected is one-third of what is expected of us. You do not need to be told that we are to give to this fund according to our financial ability as measured by a certain standard. Shall we come with shame and send one-third the measure of our duty?

Rt. Rev. Father: You committed to me the duties of Diocesan Secretary in 1896, at the Convention held in

Charlotte. At that time our faithful Honorary Secretary felt the weight of advancing years and wished to put aside duties of so arduous a nature and devote more time to spiritual things. I was advanced from the ranks of the Juniors, where I had served for six years, with a heart centered in the children and their work.

In offering my resignation, I must tell you how sacredly I have treasured the trust committed to me, and cherished the privilege of serving as leader in this work for the eight years of my stewardship. For me it has been a steadfast gain and constant source of happiness. And I acknowledge with gratitude your loyalty and sustaining support in difficulties.

To you, my coworkers, who are to have the pleasure of continuing this work, I have no words adequate to express my thanks for the privilege of having served with you. You know too well my inefficiency, for me to call attention to the sins of omission and commission. Cover them with the cloak of charity, and leave them with Him unto Whom all hearts are open, and from Whom no secrets are hid.

Faithfully, MARY E. HORNER.

CENTRAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand	$27 52	
Woman's Auxiliary, 1903-'04	65 41	
Junior Department, 1903-'04	10 00	
Communion Alms, Quiet Day	17 05	
Communion Alms, annual meeting	9 46	
Offering during the day	51 00	
Advertisements	10 00	
		$190 44

DISBURSEMENTS.

Printing Reports, 1902-'03	$67 75	
Express on Reports	3 69	
Programmes, 1904	1 50	
Expenses of Missioner	35 00	
Apportionment	9 46	
United Offering	51 00	
Balance on hand	22 04	
		$190 44

United Diocesan Objects.

PLEDGE LIST FOR 1904-'05.

Diocesan.

At Bishop Cheshire's disposal	$200 00
Thompson Orphanage	500 00
Beaufort—Scholarships	50 00

Domestic.

District of Asheville, at Bishop Horner's disposal	200 00
Southern Florida, at Bishop Grey's disposal	50 00
St. Augustine's School, St. Agnes Hospital	50 00
Alaska—Bishop Rowe's companion	20 00

Foreign.

Japan—Miss Babcock's salary	100 00
Japan—Bishop Cheshire Scholarship	36 00
Japan—Lindsay Patton Scholarship	36 00
China—Bishop Ingle Memorial	50 00

Apportionment	325 00
C. P. C.	
Clergy Retiring Fund Society	
Specials	

MINUTES.

The twenty-second annual meeting of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was held in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh, June 10th, 1904.

The Holy Communion was celebrated at 7.30 A. M. by the Bishop of the Diocese, assisted by the Rev. F. J. Murdock, D. D., of Salisbury.

The opening services at 10 o'clock, at Christ's Church, were conducted by Archdeacon Joyner. After the singing of a hymn, Bishop Cheshire introduced the Rev. Dr. Arthur S. Lloyd, of New York, General Secretary of the Board of Missions. He spoke fervently of the need of gifts, but the greater necessity of prayerful giving. Since the adoption of the apportionment plan, the expenses of the Church have been more easily met, but there is still need for every available dollar. The only cry that comes back to us is one for more help.

At the conclusion of this address, the Diocesan Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary read her report. This showed that the membership had not grown in numbers, but the gifts in money, however, exceed by $294.48 the largest amount given in any previous year, the total amount of gifts being $2,283.41. In concluding her report, Miss Horner tendered her resignation as Diocesan Secretary.

After the reading of this report, the meeting adjourned to the Church of the Good Shepherd. There the roll call of officers and delegates showed the following present:

Mrs. Jno. Wilkes, Honorary Secretary.

Miss Mary E. Horner, Diocesan Secretary.

Miss Mattie H. Bailey, Secretary Convocation Raleigh.

Mrs. Jno. T. Bennett, Secretary Convocation Charlotte; also Secretary District Mecklenburg.

Mrs. Dorian Blair, Secretary Districts of Guilford and Forsyth.

Mrs. R. W. Winston, Secretary District of Granville.

Mrs. Richard Lewis, Secretary District of Wake.

Miss A. E. Smith, Secretary United Offering.

Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Secretary Babies' Branch, Convocation of Raleigh.

PARISHES.

Elkin—Mrs. M. E. Bland.

Winston—Miss Murphy.

Burlington—Mrs. Erwin Holt.

Greensboro (St. Andrew's)—Mrs. W. H. Ballard, Mrs. Dorian Blair.

Leaksville—Mrs. Thos. A. Sharp, Mrs. Lewis Clark.

Stoneville—Miss L. M. Stephens, Mrs. N. G. Smith.

Charlotte (St. Peter's)—Mrs. Bland, Mrs. Jno. Wilkes.

Wadesboro—Mrs. Jno. T. Bennett.

Lawrence—Miss Kate Cheshire.

Scotland Neck—Miss A. E. Smith, Miss Phelps.

Tarboro—Mrs. Bird, Mrs. Judge Phillips, Mrs. Thrash.

Weldon—Mrs. Chambers.

Wilson—Mrs. H. G. Connor, Mrs. Jolliffe.

Chapel Hill—Mrs. R. E. Prince, Mrs. Judge McRae.

Durham—Mrs. J. F. Crain, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. R. W. Winston, Mrs. Wall.

Goshen—Mrs. Louis Thorpe.

Hillsboro—Mrs. Jno. Graham.

Louisburg—Mrs. John London, Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Clifson.

Oxford—Miss Elizabeth Hilliard, Mrs. J. H. Horner, Mrs. H. G. Cooper.

Pittsboro—Mrs. W. L. London, Mrs. Cheatham.

Raleigh (Christ's Church)—Mrs. R. B. Raney, Mrs. F. P. Tucker, Mrs. J. F. Ferrall, Mrs. B. L. Perry, Miss Felfair, Mrs. Nannie Ashe, Mrs. F. H. Busbee, Mrs. T. S. Kenan, Mrs. H. W. Jackson, Miss Jennie Coffin, Miss Annie Devereux, Miss Huddleson, Mrs. K. P. Battle, Mrs. Trapier, Miss Trapier, Mrs. Sam. Ashe.

Raleigh (Good Shepherd)—Mrs. A. B. Andrews, Mrs. A. W. Knox, Mrs. J. B. Cheshire, Mrs. J. McK. Pittinger, Mrs. Leob, Mrs. Latta, Mrs. Habel, Mrs. Young, Miss Rosa Battle, Miss Cheshire, Miss Morson, Mrs. Morson, Mrs. Hanff, Mrs. Pegram, Mrs. Shepherd, Mrs. Field, Miss Ebie Roberts, Miss Latta, Miss Pittinger, Mrs. Arrington.

Raleigh (St. Augustine's)—Mrs. A. B. Hunter, Dr. Hayden, Miss White, Mrs. Delaney, Miss Brown.

Southern Pines—Mrs. Ruggles.

Littleton—Miss Vincent, Miss Lucy G. Capehart.

Henderson—Mrs. J. E. Ingle, Mrs. Draper, Mrs. W. W. Parker, Mrs. Robards, Mrs. Pendleton.

Mrs. R. H. Lewis, in a few words, very gracefully welcomed the delegates to the hearts and homes of Raleigh.

Mrs. Wilkes, in a short address, thanked the women for their contributions for Bishop Rowe's companion, and expressed the desire for a continuance of the $20 pledged from the Diocese for this purpose.

The Diocesan Secretary read a letter from Bishop Horner, of the Missionary District of Asheville, regretting his inability to be present and thanking the Auxiliary for $276.55, contributed by the various branches of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Then followed a fine address by Archdeacon Hughson, of Morganton, the representative of Bishop Horner. He spoke of the great difficulty of the work of the Church in the western part of the State, on account of the illiteracy of that section, where practically every church is a mission and every clergyman a missionary. He told of the help given by the Woman's Auxiliary, and of the great work that is being done by the school at Valle Crucis.

The Chair appointed the following committee to make arrangements for observance of Quiet Day, to be held

in 1904-'05: Miss Mattie H. Bailey, Miss Kate Cheshire, Mrs. Clement Manly.

Mrs. Jno. T. Bennett, Secretary Charlotte Convocation, read her report, in which she showed that the work is well in hand and has greatly increased during the past year. She urged the women to adhere to the quarterly payment system, which has been satisfactorily tested.

Miss Bailey, Secretary Raleigh Convocation, stated her work clearly, and showed by her report that the result of the year's work had been very encouraging. She emphasized the advantage gained by the observance of the Quiet Day, held in Raleigh, Maunday Thursday. In the absence of Mrs. Murdock, Mrs. Pettinger read the report of the Junior Auxiliary of the Diocese.

The reports of the District Secretaries were omitted for lack of time.

The report of the Babies' Branch of the Charlotte Convocation was read by Mrs. Bland, in the absence of Mrs. W. J. Smith, the Director. This report showed that the amount of Baby gifts this year doubled that of last year.

Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Secretary Babies' Branch in the Convocation of Raleigh, gave her report, and made a touching and eloquent appeal to mothers, in counting baby pennies.

Miss A. E. Smith, Secretary United Offering, made her report, which showed that the different branches have contributed $505.75, which is $200 less than the offerings in 1901.

A motion was made by Mrs. John Wilkes, Honorary Secretary, amended by Miss Elizabeth Hilliard, viz: That the United Offering be increased to $1,000 by September 1st; that the Secretary of the United Offering be requested to communicate with each parochial branch to this effect; and that each delegate be requested to return home with the message that the suggestion shall be received with enthusiasm, and one woman from each branch

shall be appointed in charge of the United Offering in the parish. Carried by a unanimous vote.

A motion by Mrs. R. W. Winston, Durham, was made, that a collection be taken for this United Offering at once. The result of the collection was $51, of which $25 was given by St. Augustine's School.

An animated discussion followed, in response to a letter from Miss Emery, in regard to the *sort* of *blue* box preferred in North Carolina. A divided vote. Mothers with babies preferring board boxes; households without babies voting for the folded boxes.

Mrs. R. H. Lewis read the report for St. Augustine's School, showing satisfactory results. The Auxiliary work of this branch is done in a systematic way, and its gifts go to Foreign and Domestic Missions, including the District of Asheville, the Thompson Orphanage and the Bishop's fund, within the State.

Miss Rebecca Cameron not being present, the Diocesan Secretary spoke in behalf of the C. P. C., and asked Mrs. Wilkes to explain the work of the Club. The great trouble seems to be that so few realize the need of giving money for postage.

The delegate from Stoneville told in a touching manner how much good had been done in that section by the C. P. C.

Mrs. Blair explained how the literature is sent on its mission to lighten many hearts and relieve an otherwise weary hour.

In absence of Miss McKimmon, Mrs. Iredell read the report of the Junior Auxiliary of St. Mary's School. The total gifts amounted to $206.95.

Then followed the reports of the parish delegates in order.

It was announced that Mrs. A. B. Andrews had been appointed to look after the Apportionment, and Miss

Annie Wetmore to increase the circulation of the spirit of missions.

Letters from Miss Emery were read, giving directions about sending United Offering and delegates to the Triennial Meeting to be held in Boston, October 6th, 1904.

A vote of thanks was offered to Miss Horner for her splendid work; and Mrs. A. B. Andrews and Mrs. F. H. Busbee served as a committee to draw up resolutions of regret at Miss Horner's resignation.

Miss Horner's voice having given way under the strain of the day's work, her sister, Mrs. Robt. W. Winston, at her request, gracefully and feelingly responded to the cordial words of the Auxiliary, and gave expression to the gratitude of Miss Horner for the appreciation of her colaborers.

A vote of thanks was tendered to the women of the Raleigh Branch for their gracious hospitality.

Archdeacon Joyner, of the Convocation of Raleigh, made a talk, expressing the high appreciation of the clergy for the work of the women.

Rev. J. E. Ingle, Secretary of the Convention, also thanked the women for their aid in his efforts for the Clergy Retiring Fund Society.

The Bishop expressed deep regret at the resignation of Miss Horner as Diocesan Secretary, to which she had been appointed by him eight years ago, and whose work has been ever faithful and efficient and characterized throughout by an earnest devotion and consecration to the Master's will.

The singing of the Doxology and the benediction by the Bishop closed a well attended and very enthusiastic meeting, every one present having gained renewed zeal and inspiration for the work that lies before the Woman's Auxiliary for the coming year.

Mrs. W. W. Parker,
Recording Secretary.

Resolution Adopted Upon the Resignation of Miss Horner.

At the close of the Woman's Auxiliary meeting of the Diocese of North Carolina, upon motion of Mrs. Wilkes, Mrs. A. B. Andrews and Mrs. F. H. Busbee were appointed a committee to draft a resolution expressing the appreciation of the Woman's Auxiliary, of the work of the retiring Secretary, Miss Horner.

My Dear Miss Horner: I am sending you the resolutions adopted upon your resignation, and ask that they may be printed as a part of the minutes. * * *

Yours sincerely, SALLY H. BUSBEE.

Raleigh, June 15, 1904.

In the name of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of North Carolina, we desire to express our sincere regret at the resignation of our efficient and beloved Secretary. For six years Miss Horner was the Directress of the Junior Auxiliary, and since 1896 she has been the Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese. During her administration she has stamped her individuality, energy and enthusiasm upon the North Carolina Branch, she has enlarged its scope, increased its usefulness and made it a power for good. She has been truly our leader and our guide.

The members of the Auxiliary with one accord tender their regrets that the pressure of other duties compel her to entrust to other hands the work which is so dear to her heart, and desire to assure her of the sincere affection of all North Carolina church women.

They will loyally support her successor, who will find strength and inspiration in her example.

The giver of all good gifts bless and protect her!

This tribute was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

Minutes of the Officers' Meeting, June 9, 1904.

The meeting of the Diocesan Officers, preparatory to the annual meeting of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, was called Thursday afternoon, June 9th, 1904, in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh.

The meeting was opened with a short service, conducted by the Rev. A. S. Lloyd, after which he made a short address to the women, speaking very directly, because he had a message which he wished to go to the hearts of the representative women in the Diocese of North Carolina and transmitted by them to other women.

Dr. Lloyd plead for *righteousness* rather than for *religiousness,* and for *joy* and *gladness* in Christian life and work. He urged the importance of reading the *Spirit of Missions,* and made a strong plea for wider circulation of that magazine.

At the close of the address the Rev. A. B. Hunter invited those present to visit St. Augustine School. The duties of the Diocesan Officers prevented their accepting the invitation, therefore they remained to attend to the subject matter and business for the annual meeting.

The officers present were: Mrs. John Wilkes, Honorary Secretary; Miss Mary E. Horner, Diocesan Secretary; Mrs. John T. Bennett, Secretary Charlotte Convocation; Mrs. R. W. Winston, Secretary Granville District; Mrs. R. H. Lewis, Secretary Wake District; Mrs. Dorian H. Blair, Secretary Guilford and Forsyth Districts.

After the roll had been called and the minutes of 1903 read and corrected, extracts from letters from Miss Emery were read and duly considered. The most important feature of these letters was the emphasis laid on the importance of having the United Offering in hand by September 1st, to be presented in Boston, October 6th;

also the Apportionment to be made up by September 1st, North Carolina having been assessed $325.00. All money toward appropriations to be counted towards that sum; and, lastly, representation of the Diocesan Branch at the officers meeting in Boston and the Triennial Service and opening service of the General Convention.

The resignation of Miss Horner was received with deep sorrow and regret, and Mrs. A. B. Andrews voiced the feelings of the women present in a few graceful words of regret and appreciation for the years of rich service in the work.

With her resignation, Miss Horner suggested a change of government and referred the officers to the methods adopted by the Rhode Island Branch as an excellent model. The subject to be considered, at length, at the adjourned meeting of officers to be held Saturday morning, June 11th.

The merits of the Quiet Day held Maunday Thursday, were next considered, and a committee to arrange for a Quiet Day, to be held during the year 1904-1905, was appointed by the Chair, viz: Miss Mattie H. Bailey, Raleigh; Miss Kate Cheshire, Tarboro; Mrs. Clement Manly, Winston. A committee was also appointed to call more especial attention to the observance of the Intercessory Days, viz: Mrs. R. W. Winston, Durham; Mrs. Erwin A. Holt, Burlington. The Chair then suggested Miss Annie Wetmore, Greensboro, a committee of one to solicit subscribers for the *Spirit of Missions,* and to awaken more general interest in that organ for missionary work.

Mrs. A. B. Andrews, Raleigh, was appointed to supervise the Apportionment in the Diocese, and to use her influence by correspondence and personal intercession to awaken interest in that branch of work.

The consideration of systematic giving was next considered, and the method of quarterly payments in 1904

was regarded as successful, and it was agreed that it should again be recommended to the whole body of women. The envelope system was also advised as most satisfactory for Parochial Branches.

The meeting was then closed with prayer, to be convened again Saturday, at 9.30, in the Church of the Good Shepherd.

The adjourned meeting of officers was held Saturday morning, at 9.30, June 11, 1904, in the Church of the Good Shepherd. The unfinished business of previous meeting was made the order of the day.

It was agreed to adopt the change of government which had been suggested, viz: That, with the Bishop's approval, the future management of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary shall be through a President and five Vice-Presidents, a Recording Secretary, and a Diocesan Treasurer.

The following officers were elected and recommended to the Bishop for appointment:

Miss Kate Cheshire, President.
Miss Mattie H. Bailey, 1st Vice-President.
Mrs. John T. Bennett, 2d Vice-President.
Mrs. R. W. Winston, 3d Vice-President.
Mrs. John Van Landingham, 4th Vice-President.
Mrs. R. H. Lewis, 5th Vice-President.
Mrs. Dorian Blair, Treasurer.

The Junior Depatment, C. P. C., and United Offering to remain without change.

For the Babies' Branch.

Mrs. W. J. Smith, President.
Mrs. M. A. Bland, Secretary, Convocation of Charlotte.
Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Secretary, Convocation of Raleigh.
Apportionment, Mrs. A. B. Andrews.
Spirit of Missions, Miss Annie Wetmore.

These elections were confirmed by the Bishop, and appointments made through the former Diocesan Secretary, later.

The Recording Secretary was left for future appointment.

The duties of Treasurer were agreed on, viz: That the Diocesan Treasurer shall receive all monies from the Parochial Treasurer and disburse the same as designated by the Parochial Branch. The Chair then stated that the Bishop had requested that no money should be sent him by Treasurer save that which was placed at his own disposal.

The Chair then appointed Mrs. R. W. Winston, Durham, Mrs. R. H. Lewis, Raleigh, Mrs. J. T. Bennett, Wadesboro, a committee to arrange report blanks for the coming year.

Motions were next in order, and were adopted, viz:

Motion: That the offerings on St. Andrew's Day and the first week in Advent be given, as heretofore, to Diocesan Missions; that the offerings for the remaining three weeks in Advent be devoted to the Clergy Retiring Fund Society.

Motion: That the Junior Department also set apart the season of Advent for self-denial, the offerings to be given to Diocesan Missions.

Motion: That the offerings for the other Intercessory services be given to the special objects named in Annual Report, as heretofore.

No other business being before the house, the meeting was closed with prayer and benediction by the Bishop.

Miss Mattie H. Bailey,
Recording Secretary.

Report of the Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Convocation of Charlotte.

May 1st, 1904, closed a year of hard work for the Woman's Auxiliary in this, the Charlotte Convocation. By faithful efforts on the part of the District Secretaries three new Branches were formed, from which we hope healthy growth by the end of this fiscal year.

New Branches, 3; not reporting, 3; total, 18; members, 287. Money contributed, $606.10; boxes, 5; value, $43.50.

These are bare figures summing up our year's work, but they are entirely inadequate to give an accurate picture of the zeal and interest which accomplished it. Where so many have labored faithfully, it is hard to make comparisons, but I find the most complete organization and system to obtain in the Guilford District, and with this the fullest proportionate returns. St. Andrew's, Greensboro, leads this District.

The machinery of Convocation and District Secretaries works admirably when carried out to the letter, and the quarterly payments adopted last year have greatly simplified the writing. High Point has fallen into line since our last report, and may we not hope for Reidsville and Madison next year? In Forsyth District we find two Branches, Winston and Germanton, and twenty-one members. Germanton's contribution of $7.50 represents an Auxiliary of one. Elkin has disbanded; also Walnut Cove.

The District of Rowan reports four active Branches, the same number as last year, but with Lexington enrolled in place of Statesville, which has not reported this year. Members in Rowan, 48.

Mecklenburg District holds its own in contributions,

though with a falling off in members of eight. Members in Mecklenburg District, 132.

The Church of the Holy Comforter, Dilworth, is combining work abroad with work at home, and reports a newly organized Auxiliary with ten members.

The greatest improvement in this District is shown by the work at St. Mark's, Bristow. I commend to all the hearty spirit with which they met their obligations.

Our receipts in money are about the same as last year, but with some changes in the objects for which these gifts are sent. A decided gain is shown in the United Offering and the Apportionment, one member of St. Peter's, Charlotte, giving $20 for the Apportionment.

During the meeting of the Convention in St. Peter's, Charlotte, January 16th, 1904, an hour was given to hearing reports from the Woman's Auxiliary in this Convocation. It was not, in any sense, a representative meeting, such as we hope to have in the future, but certainly it served to stimulate and enthuse those who were present. It was decided during the discussions that the following suggestions should be brought before the next annual meeting:

1st. That the Woman's Auxiliary use the last three weeks of the Advent season to collect, from any available source, money for the Clergy Retiring Fund.

2d. That the Woman's Auxiliary endeavor to interest Sunday School teachers and pupils to give, during Advent, special offerings for Diocesan Missions.

This had the approval of Archdeacon Osborne, who presided, and also of our Bishop, the Chairman of "Committee on the State of the Church," and others. (See Journal of the Convention for 1902, pages 68, 48 and 49.)

Throughout the Convocation there seems to be a much more general observance of the Intercessory Days, and many Secretaries report Mission Study, though this does not follow any uniform plan.

An understanding rector, and I speak with all respect, can help more than he thinks by a ready anticipation of the Intercessory services, and a "hearty desire" to show his congregation what the Woman's Auxiliary really means.

This brings me to another thought: Is the purport of the Auxiliary really understood throughout our twenty-two counties? Auxiliary to what? To the General Board of Missions, and including everything sent away from home.

I beg our 287 "helpers," already interested, to instruct and enthuse others, that our work may next year go forward with a bound, and that, realizing our responsibilities and opportunities, we may bear nobly our part in the spread of Christ's Kingdom.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. John T. Bennett,
Secretary.

The Report of the Raleigh Convocation.

The past year has been our best year. The amount pledged at the annual meeting at Greensboro was $721.00; we collected $1,559.35 in money, and sent out boxes aggregating $667.68; total, $2,247.68.

There are 24 well organized Branches, with 520 members. Eleven of these Branches observed the Intercessory Days in part or fully. Our retiring Diocesan Secretary has perfected the machinery of the Woman's Auxiliary by appointing four Secretaries for this Convocation, thus giving one for each District. The efficient and delightful work of these Secretaries made the routine lighter and more enjoyable. Now we need to do our part by using the proper channels for forwarding all money and communications, and thus avoid confusion in the final reports. With every arrangement perfected, our zeal and interest are needed to quicken the members to more earnest work. We should feel that we have a living part in sending the glad tidings to every creature. This was learned beautifully from Dr. Roper on Holy Thursday, when he conducted a Quiet Day in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh. At intervals during that day, from 7 A. M. to 7 P. M., Dr. Roper spoke wonderfully to numbers who came from every denomination. We had hoped that every Branch of the Auxiliary in the Diocese would be represented by delegates, but only a few shared the privilege with us.

A lunch was quietly served in our Parish rooms, so that the continuity of thought should not be broken by outside interests. The enthusiasm increased every hour, and the 6 o'clock service found people standing. Dr. Roper conducted the services on Good Friday, and the second day

the interest was unabated. All difficulties seemed to disappear. With quickening spirit the living truth was pressed home to us, and we felt the privilege of taking part in spreading the work of the Gospel.

I had the pleasure of visiting the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church, Louisburg, and was delighted with the work done by the twelve members. Their interest in the Thompson Orphanage is shown by a pledge of $50.00 for the coming year, with almost that amount promised for Foreign and Domestic Missions.

The United Offering will be our special work for the summer months, and the Apportionment should claim an equal share of interest.

Respectfully submitted,

MATTIE H. BAILEY,
Secretary Raleigh Convocation.

Convocation of Charlotte.

District of Forsyth.

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Convocation of Charlotte.

District of Forsyth.

PARISHES	Members	Central Fund	MISSIONS						Thompson Orphanage	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
			United Offering	Specials	Foreign	Apportionment	Domestic	Diocesan						
Germanton, St. Philip's	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$ 7 50	...	.....	$ 7 50	...	.....
Mount Airy, Trinity	1	$ 15	.....	.....	.....	$ 7 00	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	7 15	...	.....
Walnut Cove, Christ Church	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....
Winston, St. Paul's	20	2 00	$4 50	$10 00	$3 00	5 00	$6 05	$5 53	5 00	...	$2 00	43 08	...	.....
	22	$2 15	$4 50	$10 00	$3 00	$12 00	$6 05	$5 53	$12 50	...	$2 00	$57 73	...	.....

Convocation of Charlotte.

District of Guilford.

PARISHES	Members	Central Fund	MISSIONS						Thompson Orphanage	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
			United Offering	Specials	Foreign	Apportionment	Domestic	Diocesan						
Burlington, St. Athanasius	16	$1 60	$ 2 25	$50 00	.....	.....	$ 2 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	$ 55 85	...	.....
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	23	2 30	7 50	50	$ 6 95	$6 00	9 70	$ 8 00	$11 00	$1 50	$12 00	64 95	1	$12 00
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	20	2 00	9 29	.....	5 00	1 00	11 41	10 00	22 35	2 00	.....	63 05	...	.....
High Point, St. Mary's.	7	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70	...	.....
Leaksville, Epiphany	15	1 50	5 75	.....	2 50	10	4 75	3 50	5 00	1 00	2 40	26 50	...	.....
Stoneville, Emmanuel	5	25	1 25	.....	1 25	20	2 25	.....	50	.....	90	6 60	...	.....
	86	$8 35	$26 04	$50 50	$15 70	$7 30	$30 11	$21 50	$38 85	$4 50	$15 30	$218 15	1	$12 00

Convocation of Charlotte.

District of Mecklenburg.

PARISHES	Members	Central Fund	MISSIONS						Thompson Orphanage	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
			United Offering	Specials	Foreign	Appor-tionment	Domestic	Diocesan						
Charlotte, St. Peter's	71	$ 7 10	$ 5 00	.....	$15 00	$25 00	$49 00	$35 34	$12 25	...	$5 00	$153 69	...	.....
Charlotte, St. Michael's	12	1 20	1 00	.....	80	70	1 00	1 00	.....	...	.....	5 70	...	.....
Charlotte, Chapel of Hope	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 35	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	3 35	...	.....
Dilworth, Holy Comforter	10	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 90	.....	...	.....	2 90	...	.....
Bristow, St. Mark's	12	1 20	.....	.....	5 00	.....	20	5 75	.....	...	.....	12 15	1	$ 1 50
Monroe, St. Paul's	15	1 50	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 00	.....	...	.....	4 50	1	12 00
Wadesboro, Calvary	12	1 20	6 65	$ 50	2 00	1 00	5 00	7 40	18 00	...	1 00	42 75	...	.....
Lexington, Grace	5	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	50	...	.....
	137	$13 70	$13 65	$ 50	$22 80	$30 05	$55 20	$53 39	$30 25	...	$6 00	$225 54	2	$13 50

Convocation of Charlotte.

District of Rowan.

PARISHES	Members	Central Fund	MISSIONS United Offering	Specials	Foreign	Appor-tionment	Domestic	Diocesan	Thompson Orphanage	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
Concord, All Saints	2	$ 20	$ 6 80	.....	.....	.....	$2 00	$ 2 43	.....	.....	.....	$ 11 43	...	.....
Salisbury, St. Luke's	30	3 00	5 00	.....	$5 00	$5 00	5 00	10 00	$33 60	.....	$5 00	71 60	1	$10 00
Salisbury, Trinity	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 00	.....	.....	5 00	.....	.....	7 00	1	8 00
Corlomee, Ascension Mission	3	30	2 70	.....	3 00	.....	.....	5 00	5 00	.....	2 00	18 00	...	.....
	44	$3 50	$14 50	.....	$8 00	$7 00	$7 00	$17 43	$43 60	.....	$7 00	$108 03	2	$18 00

Convocation of Raleigh.

District of Edgecombe.

PARISHES	Members	Central Fund	MISSIONS						Thompson Orphanage	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
			United Offering	Specials	Foreign	Apportionment	Domestic	Diocesan						
Halifax, St. Mark's	11	$1 10	$ 1 20	.....	$ 2 00	.....	$ 2 00	$ 1 25	.....	.....	5 00	$ 12 55	...	.....
Jackson, Church of Our Saviour	15	75	11 00	.....	10 00	.....	.....	.....	$ 5 00	.....	.....	26 75	...	.....
Rocky Mount, Good Shepherd	22	.....	7 00	.....	11 75	.....	6 00	5 00	5 00	.....	5 00	39 75	1	25 00
Scotland Neck, Trinity	30	3 00	5 55	.....	3 75	.....	4 62	5 00	3 07	$2 48	1 00	28 47	3	64 12
Tarboro, Calvary	34	.....	12 75	.....	11 32	.....	18 50	18 00	70 46	.....	12 00	143 03	2	41 60
Weldon, Grace Church	16	1 60	3 64	.....	2 00	.....	4 00	2 00	4 00	.....	.....	17 24	...	.....
Wilson, St. Timothy	22	75	10 75	$5 00	8 25	.....	7 75	5 00	16 06	50	.....	54 06	1	36 00
Lawrence, Grace Ch'ch	18	1 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00	2 00	1	10 00
	168	$8 20	$51 89	$5 00	$49 07	.....	$42 87	$36 25	$103 59	$2 98	$24 00	$323 85	8	$176 72

Convocation of Raleigh.

District of Granville.

PARISHES	Members	Central Fund	MISSIONS						Thompson Orphanage	C. P. C.	C. R. F S.	Total	Boxes	Value
			United Offering	Specials	Foreign	Apportionment	Domestic	Diocesan						
Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross	20	$ 1 80	$ 3 64	...	$ 1 00	.....	$ 12 00	$ 2 00	$ 11 25	.....	$ 6 00	$ 35 89	...	.....
Durham, St. Phillips	34	4 11	37 48	...	15 00	$ 5 00	66 35	15 00	66 65	$2 00	12 00	223 59	1	$ 25 00
Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	25	2 50	14 40	...	9 50	2 00	14 80	15 00	5 50	3 00	6 00	72 70	1	45 00
Louisburg, St. Paul's	12	1 60	4 27	...	5 00	2 75	30 00	.....	37 75	.....	12 00	93 37	...	.....
Oxford, St. Stephen's	35	2 50	5 38	...	7 00	17 45	45 66	19 00	14 38	1 50	17 00	129 87	2	42 14
	126	$10 71	$65 17	...	$37 50	$27 20	$168 81	$51 00	$135 53	$6 50	$53 00	$555 42	4	$112 14

Convocation of Raleigh.

District of Vance.

PARISHES	Members	Central Fund	MISSIONS						Thompson Orphanage	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
			United Offering	Specials	Foreign	Apportionment	Domestic	Diocesan						
Henderson, Holy Innocents	64	$5 00	$10 30	.....	$15 00	$ 3 00	$38 10	$ 6 50	$41 50	.....	$12 00	$131 40	3	$53 00
Warrenton, Emmanuel	22	2 00	15 00	.....	2 00	5 00	2 00	3 00	12 00	.....	3 00	44 00	1	38 27
Littleton, St. Alban's	8	60	4 90	$4 00	2 00	4 00	3 00	2 00	3 00	$2 00	.....	25 50	...	.....
Ridgeway, Good Shepherd	7	1 00	3 00	.....	3 00	2 25	4 50	1 00	1 00	.....	2 00	17 75	...	.....
	101	$8 60	$33 20	$4 00	$22 00	$14 25	$47 60	$12 50	$57 50	$2 00	$17 00	$218 65	4	$91 27

Convocation of Raleigh.

District of Wake.

PARISHES	Members	Central Fund	MISSIONS						Thompson Orphanage	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
			United Offering	Specials	Foreign	Appor-tionment	Domestic	Diocesan						
Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew	12	.....	$ 8 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	$22 40	.....	.....	$ 30 95	2	$ 55 00
Raleigh, Christ Church	39	$ 3 70	$20 00	$ 5 00	$20 00	.....	$22 50	$15 25	.....	.....	$12 00	98 45	1	49 50
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	32	3 00	17 11	60 25	20 00	10 00	27 50	12 50	17 00	$2 50	10 00	174 86	4	172 05
Raleigh, St. Mary's School	16	1 50	2 13	10 00	.....	1 90	15 00	14 65	10 00	.....	.....	55 18	...	.....
Raleigh, St. Augustine	14	1 00	18 34	15 00	4 00	10 00	9 00	2 00	7 00	.....	12 00	78 34	...	.....
Southern Pines, Emmanuel	21	1 00	10 00	.....	9 50	.....	11 00	9 50	10 00	.....	12 00	63 00	1	11 00
	134	$10 20	$76 13	$80 25	$53 50	$21 90	$85 00	$53 90	$66 40	$2 50	$46 00	$500 78	8	$287 55

Summary Table of Woman's Auxiliary.

	Members	Central Fund	MISSIONS						Thompson Orphanage	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
			United Offering	Specials	Foreign	Apportionment	Domestic	Diocesan						
CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.														
Forsyth District	22	$ 2 15	$ 4 50	$ 10 00	$ 3 00	$ 12 00	$ 6 05	$ 5 53	$ 12 50	.....	$ 2 00	$ 57 73	..	.....
Guilford District	86	8 35	26 04	50 50	15 70	7 30	30 11	21 50	38 85	$ 4 50	15 30	218 15	1	$ 12 00
Mecklenburg District	137	13 70	13 65	30	22 80	30 05	55 20	53 39	30 25	.....	6 00	225 54	2	13 50
Rowan District	44	3 50	14 50	.....	8 00	7 00	7 00	17 43	43 60	.....	7 00	108 53	2	18 00
CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.														
Edgecombe District	168	8 60	51 89	5 00	49 07	.....	42 87	36 25	103 59	2 98	24 00	323 85	..	.....
Granville District	119	12 51	65 17	.....	37 50	27 20	168 81	51 00	135 53	6 50	53 00	555 42	4	112 14
Vance District	101	8 00	33 20	4 00	22 00	14 25	47 60	12 50	57 50	2 00	17 00	218 65	4	91 27
Wake District	134	10 20	76 13	80 25	53 50	21 90	85 00	53 90	66 40	2 50	46 00	500 78	8	287 55
	811	$67 21	$285 08	$154 25	$211 57	$119 70	$442 64	$251 50	$488 22	$18 48	$170 30	$2,208 95	21	$533 46
				Communion for Apportionment								$ 9 46		
				Collected at annual meeting for United Offering								51 00		
				Apportionment from Juniors								14 00		
												$2,283 41		

Report of the Secretary of the Junior Department of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary.

The Annual Report of the Junior Department of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, beginning May 1st, 1903, ending May 1st, 1904, is as follows:

Parish Branches, 34; members, 1,115. Five new Branches have been organized during the year; three have disbanded. Although there has been small increase in numbers, the interest manifested and the desire of knowledge shown by so many Branches is exceedingly gratifying. A summary of the work is: Thompson Orphanage, $160.56; Foreign Missions, $154.02; Domestic Missions, $134.06; Diocesan Missions, $46.07; United Offering, $37.51; Clergy Relief, $11.50; Apportionment, $52.14; Central Fund, $24.69; 17 boxes have been reported, valued at $144.06; total, $764.61.

The Thompson Orphanage seems to be accepted as the chief work of the Juniors, 19 Branches having contributed to that work. The $40 pledged for little Yoshio in Holy Trinity Orphanage has been paid. We can but hope that by the blessing of God we shall continue to meet this obligation. We have invested for the United Offering $83.79. All Directors are asked to explain this privilege of joining with the whole Auxiliary in a Triennial Offering for Missions. Every Junior is urged to help in this great work. A list of work for the coming year will be sent out after the Convention. From this list each Branch is asked to select such work as appeals to it. After the work is selected, our first effort should be to bring to the heart and mind of each individual member the field of work to which the Branch has pledged its efforts. Let maps be studied, Missions located, Bishops and clergy

known and called by name. Let stories of their lives and labors be read. Leaflets pertaining to all Mission work in our Church can be obtained from Miss Emery, Church Mission's House, New York City. Our meetings should be as interesting as our literary clubs. When we have learned about the work and the workers, the knowledge of the needs will inevitably result in better work and more money for Missions. In this effort we beg the encouragement and guidance of the clergy, believing that if it is carried out we will enlist the sympathy and zeal of the children of the Diocese, on whom the future of our Church depends.

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. F. J.) Leila M. Murdoch,
Diocesan Secretary.

Fifteenth Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club in the Diocese of North Carolina.

In submitting the fifteenth Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club in this Diocese, I have very little to say that represents either growth or activity in the work for the past year. There have been no new Branches formed, and of the eighteen Librarians, only seven reported their year's work.

I wish I could persuade every one to keep books carefully and report all that they do. Thus only can it be possible for me to fairly state the Diocesan work in this Branch of the Church's labors of love. From my books, and the seven reports sent to me, I gather that we are sending out regularly 168 current periodicals, religious and secular, an increase of 23 over last year; and we have sent out 6 Bibles, 13 Prayer Books and Hymnals, 78 Tracts, 12 Catechisms, 35 Easter and 50 Christmas Cards, 50 Christmas and Easter Carols, 20 pictures, 749 odd numbers of magazines and papers, which is less by 554 than we sent last year, and one box and one barrel, the contents of which were not counted.

I presume that much more than these figures represent was actually done, but I can only report what comes to my personal knowledge.

The money that passed through my hands for the central office was $22.00; $13.12 was reported as sent by others. I only report officially, however, what is sent to me.

I record with very sincere regret the death of our valued Librarian, Mrs. Margaret T. Shipps, of Christ Church Parish. She had held the office but a few months, but her painstaking care and exactness in the discharge of its duties, her punctuality and courtesy, made her a

delightful coworker, and her removal leaves a very empty place. Cannot some generous soul in Christ Church Parish take up the work she laid own?

The six Parish Branches reported last year as without Librarians are still in that acephalous condition. Cannot some one be persuaded to assume the position? It is a pity to stop such valuable work. There is untold pleasure and refreshment for others in the waste that cumbers our garrets and upper shelves. If we would only make use of the opportunity thus afforded us, we would not only help our neighbor, but the blessing would be divided with us, for we have our Lord's own words for it, that "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

Respectfully submitted,

REBECCA CAMERON,

Correspondent, No. 17, Church Periodical Club.

Contributions Received by the Correspondent of the C. P. C. for the Year 1903-4:

St. Stephen's Parish, Oxford	$1 50
Rev. and Mrs. S. P. Watters, Hillsboro	1 00
Mrs. W. A. Edmunds, Wadesboro	1 00
St. Mary's School, Junior Auxiliary, through Miss Kate McKimmon, Raleigh	6 00
St. Andrew's Parish, Greensboro	1 50
Dr. Marshall Coll Cameron, Yanceyville	1 00
Allen J. Cameron, Portsmouth, Va.	1 00
Miss Rebecca Cameron, Hillsboro	1 00
Calvary Parish, Wadesboro, through Mrs. W. A. Edmunds	8 00
	$22 00

Reported Through Librarians.

Calvary Church, Wadesboro	$1 10
St. Philip's, Durham	1 80
Trinity, Scotland Neck	2 25
St. Peter's, Charlotte	3 00
Epiphany, Leaksville	1 00
St. Matthew's Woman's Auxiliary, Hillsboro	3 00
St. Alban's, Littleton	2 00
St. Barnabas, Greensboro	2 00
	$16 15

The contributions from Wadesboro and Charlotte, viz: $1.10 and $3.00, were the expenses of the Parish Branch and did not go to the central office.

List of Parish Branches and Their Librarians.

No. 1. St. Matthew's Parish, Hillsboro.
Miss Helen L. Webb.

No. 2. Christ Church, Raleigh.
No Librarian.

No. 3. Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh.
Miss Annie C. Hill.

No. 4. Holy Innocents, Henderson.
Mrs. Maurice O'Neil.

No. 5. Epiphany, Leaksville.
Mrs. W. S. Martin.

No. 6. Rockingham Mission.
No Librarian.

No. 7. St. Paul's, Monroe.
Mrs. S. S. Wolfe.

No. 8. St. Paul's, Winston-Salem.
No Librarian.

No. 9. St. Philip's, Durham.
Mrs. J. B. Hunter.

No. 10. Trinity Church, Scotland Neck.
Miss Addie E. Smith.

No. 11. Grace Church, Warrenton.
No Librarian.

No. 12. Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill.
Miss Nellie B. Barbee.

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Mrs. Oscar Williams.

No. 14. St. Stephen's, Oxford.
Miss Biggs.

No. 15. St. Barnabas, Greensboro.
Mrs. Charles M. Stedman.

No. 16. All Saints, Concord.
Mrs. James Gibson.

No. 18. St. Mary's School, Raleigh.
Miss Kate McKimmon.

No. 19. Emmanuel Mission, Southern Pines.
No Librarian.

No. 20. St. Peter's Church, Charlotte.
Mrs. M. A. Bland.

No. 21. Chapel of the Cross, Littleton.
Miss Lucy Goode Capehart.

No. 22. St. Timothy's, Wilson.
Miss Kate B. Connor.

No. 23. St. Luke's, Salisbury.
No Librarian.

No. 24. Calvary Church, Wadesboro.
Mrs. W. A. Edmunds.

No. 25. St. Paul's, Louisburg.
Mrs. F. S. Spruill.

PARISH BRANCHES.

Junior Auxiliary, Diocese of North Carolina.

BURLINGTON.—St. Athanasius'.

Director—Miss Jessamine Gant.

BRISTOW.—St. Mark's.

CHARLOTTE.—St. Peter's.

President—Miss Laura Guion.
Secretary—Mrs. Hamilton Jones.
Treasurer—Miss Emma Hall.

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Director—Rev. W. J. Smith.

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Director—Mrs. W. R. Taliaferro.

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Director—Miss L. H. Carroll.

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Director—Miss Margaret West.

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Director—Rev. J. E. Ingle.
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Director—Miss Susan B. Hill.

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Director—Mrs. Paxson Watters.

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President—Miss Julia S. Bowen.
Secretary—Miss Annie E. Calvert.

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Director—Mrs. W. S. Martin.

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Secretary—Miss Mary E. Hunter.
Treasurer—Miss Sue Williams.

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Secretary—Miss Georgie Hales.

Parish Branches.—*Junior Department.*

PARISH BRANCHES	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Diocesan	Domestics	Foreign	Apportionment	Clergy Retiring Relief	Thompson Orphanage	Boxes	Value	Total
Balance		$6.93	$46.28			$14.32	$13.95					$81.48
Burlington, St. Athanasius'*						2.00			$3.00			5.00
Bristow, St. Mark's*												
Charlotte, St. Peter's	150	5.00	5.00	$5.75		70.00				2	$58.00	143.75
Charlotte, Thompson Orphanage	64	.44	.67	1.02	$2.10							4.23
Charlotte, Holy Comforter	32					4.05						4.05
Durham, St. Phillip's	18				15.00					2	11.00	26.00
Euto, St. Timothy's*												
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	14							9.50				9.50
Greensboro, St. Barnabas'*	7											
Henderson, Holy Innocents	5		2.00	3.00	3.00	2.00	2.00		8.85			20.85
Halifax, St. Mark's	4								1.40			1.40
Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	16	.80	2.00	.80	1.50	3.00			3.95	1	9.45	21.50
Jackson, Church of Our Saviour	8	.25	1.00		5.00	2.00			4.00			12.25
Leaksville, Epiphany	10	.25	.40	1.25	2.00	1.00			3.00			7.90
Lexington, Grace Church	20						22.63		10.00	1	10.00	42.63
Louisburg, St. Paul's	7		.50		.50	.50			2.50	1	11.61	15.61
Monroe, St. Paul's*												
Oxford, St. Stephen's	45	1.50		2.50	10.00		3.00		14.32			31.32
Pittsboro (Mary Lippett)	7				10.00							10.00
Raleigh, St. Augustine's Chapel	150	1.50	3.00		2.30	5.00			5.00			16.80
Raleigh, St. Augustine's School	150	5.00	8.10	15.00	10.00	5.00			7.00			50.10
Raleigh, Christ Church	110					5.00						5.00
Raleigh, St. Mary's	125	5.80	6.00		61.00	30.00	6.05		45.50	6	16.50	167.85
Raleigh, Good Shepherd*												
Ridgeway, Good Shepherd	8			2.00		2.00			6.60			10.60
Rocky Mount, Good Shepherd	30	1.50		2.00	2.00	1.00			6.19			12.69
Salisbury, St. Lukes	60	.35	1.00	3.00	1.00	1.00						6.35
Salisbury, St. Hilda*	10											
Scotland Neck, Trinity	36	1.05	1.05		1.05	1.05	.51		9.87			14.58
Southern Pines, Emanuel	20		2.52		5.61	4.10	2.00		5.78			20.01
Statesville, Trinity	9			3.00	1.00			2.00	5.00			11.00
Wadesboro (Bishop Gray)		1.25	1.24	6.75	1.00	1.00			11.20	3	9.50	31.94
Warrenton (Gilbert Higgs)			3.03				2.00		10.40	1	18.00	33.43
Wilson, St. Timothy*												
*No Report	1115	$51.62	$83.79	$46.07	$134.06	$154.02	$52.14	$11.50	$160.56	17	$144.06	$817.82

NINTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

North Carolina Babies' Branch

OF THE

Woman's Auxiliary.

MY DEAR LITTLE HELPERS:

It has been so long since many of you sent in your pennies on Holy Innocents' Day that perhaps you think those pennies have been lost. But I come now to tell you just where they have gone. The first gift sent by our Branch is always thirty-six dollars, for the Bishop Atkinson Cot, in Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, Japan, to help Mr. Ishii care for his orphan children, and especially to provide another year's support for our own little Toka. Another gift went to Japan, two dollars being sent to Miss Babcock, our brave missionary, supported in her lonely life by the three Auxiliaries in Virginia and West Virginia, and the three in North Carolina, and so becoming our own missionary. Still another gift was sent to the foreign field. This was a special from the infant class of St. Peter's Sunday School, Charlotte, sent to Deaconess Henderson for her hospital work in Shanghai. It did not come from the red boxes, but from a "birthday box" and a "birthday party," and amounted to five dollars. If you will ask your mothers to look in the March *Messenger of Hope,* they will find a letter from Miss Henderson, telling how a part of this money was spent.

In the Domestic Field five dollars went to help support

a companion of Bishop Rowe in his long, cold journeys in far away Alaska. Three dollars was sent to the Kindergarten work in St. Augustine's School, and twenty to the Mary Horner Memorial Scholarship, Valle Crucis. Then we had another special from our beloved Diocesan Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary, making our gift twenty-seven dollars. In the Diocesan Field the Thompson Orphanage received, as usual, the largest gift—fifty-six dollars. And then an offering of thirty dollars was sent to that beautiful work, the Clergy Retiring Fund, and so the gifts and prayers from your infant hands and hearts have gone to bless those grand and noble men who have given their life's best years for Christ and His Church.

Four dollars and sixty-five cents we add to the United Offering of the Woman's Auxiliary, and three dollars and a half to the United Work of the Babies' Branches throughout our Church, and seven dollars and twenty-four cents to the Central Fund—a total of $179.39.

This has come from the following parishes and missions:

In the Convocation of Charlotte.

Parishes	Secretaries	No. Members	Amount
Burlington, St. Athanasius'.	Mrs. Williamson	16	$ 5 52
Bristow, St. Marks'	Mrs. E. M. McCoy	4	76
Charlotte, St. Peter's	Miss Hall	32	14 00
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	Mrs. Schenck	12	4 11
Greensboro, St. Andrews	Miss Weimore	10	2 61
Highpoint, St. Mary's	Mrs. Berry	2	50
Leaksville, Epiphany	Mrs. Martin	5	3 33
Milton, Christ Church	Mrs. Walker	1	1 80
Monroe, St. Paul's	Miss Fairley	11 enrolled	1 10
Wadesboro, Calvary	Mrs. Little	6	2 20
Winston, St. Paul's	Mrs. Crute	3	1 30
Special from the Infant Class of St. Peter's S. S. Charlotte			5 00
Total		90	$49 23

From the Convocation of Raleigh.

MRS. F. S. SPRUILL, Director.

Parishes	Secretaries	No. Members	Amount
Battleboro, St. John's	Mrs. H. B. Marriott	4	$ 1 99
Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross	Mrs. Walter D. Toy	5	2 04
Durham, St. Philip's	Miss Ethel Herndon	23	6 17
Enfield, Church of the Advent	Miss Mabel Curtis	8	4 08
Henderson, Holy Innocents	Miss Sue Robards	12	5 85
Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	Mrs. Paxson Watters	7	3 28
Kittrell, St. James'		2	77
Lawrence, Grace	Mrs. Willie Knight	7	2 43
Littleton, St. Alban's	Mrs. P. A. Spruill	11	6 35
Louisburg, St. Paul's	Mrs. F. S. Spruill	14	12 22
Middleburg Mission	Mrs. H. M. Church	4	2 28
Oxford, St. Stephen's	Miss Maud Parham	11	6 36
Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew's	Mrs. W. L. London	8	16 95
Raleigh, Christ Church	Miss Mary P. Ashe	10	2 43
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	Miss Pattie L. Carroll	30	11 75
Ridgeway, Good Shepherd	Mrs. J. D. Scott	5	2 20
Rocky Mount, Good Shepherd	Mrs. Geo. L. Wimberly, Jr	17	9 36
Scotland Neck, Trinity	Miss Mary W. Smith	10	5 70
Selma, Mission	Miss Mamie G. Tuck	4	5 00
Southern Pines, Emmanuel	Mrs. Arthur H. Root	6	3 00
Stovall, St. Peter's	Mrs. C. L. Lewis	4	1 24
Tarboro, Calvary	Mrs. S. V. King	23	12 26
Weldon, Grace	Mrs. M. R. Chambers	1	52
Williamsboro, St. John's	Mrs. N. D. Boyd	2	1 00
Wilson, St. Timothy	Miss Elizabeth Hargrave	8	5 45
Total		236	$130 16

From Miss Horner ..... $ 7 00
Total from the Diocese $179 39

This is by far the largest offering we have ever given, and should encourage us to press forward to still greater things. We wish all our little baptized children to unite in this work, for their baptism makes them members of the Missionary Society, and having received their little red boxes, let them remember to offer on each Sunday at least one penny, with the missionary prayer. And if the prayer and the penny are remembered each Sunday it will not be hard to remember to send the offering on Holy Innocents' to the Parish Secretary. Do not wait for her to come to you. Open your boxes and send the offering to her, and pasting up the boxes have them ready

for another's year work, or ask for a new one, if needed.

And now with the prayer that each gift sent out by our Branch has gone with God's blessing and will bring in an abundant harvest, and that God will bless all the Little Helpers,

I am, lovingly yours, A. T. SMITH,

MRS. W. J. SMITH, Charlotte, N. C., Holy Week, 1904.

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NOONDAY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS.

Blessed Saviour, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth Thy loving arms; grant that all mankind may look unto Thee and be saved: through Thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost ever, one God, world without end. Amen.

O Lord, Jesus Christ, who in the days of Thy flesh didst accept the services of faithful women who ministered unto Thee of their substance; be pleased, we humbly ask to bless our endeavors to aid and encourage missionaries. Put into our hearts the things we should do and say to promote Thy glory. Grant that we may never be discouraged under difficulties, but go forward in faith and hope, looking unto Thee. Hear us, and answer this our prayer, for Thine own Name's sake. Amen.

O God, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send Thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off, and to them that are nigh; grant that all men everywhere may seek after Thee and find Thee. Bring the nations into Thy fold and add the heathen to Thine inheritance. And we pray Thee shortly to accomplish the number of Thine elect and to hasten Thy kingdom, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

INTERCESSORY DAYS.

The eve of the feasts of:

St. Andrew—Diocesan Missions. At the disposal of Bishop Cheshire.

The Epiphany—Foreign. As designated by the Branch.

The Annunciation—Domestic. At the disposal of the Bishop of Asheville, unless otherwise designated.

The Transfiguration—Thompson Orphanage.

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Diocesan Officers:

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Babies' Branch

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CONSTITUTION AND BY LAWS.

ART. I. The name of this society shall be The North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

ART. II. The object of this society is threefold—viz: Prayer for Missions, Study of Missions and Work for Missions.

ART. III. The officers of this society shall be as follows, a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, four Convocational Secretaries; two Secretaries and Treasurers for the Juniors and two for the Babies' Branch; Secretaries for the United Offering, C. P. C. apportionment and a Secretary for the Colored Work.

ART. IV. All the women of the Church are, by baptism, entitled to be members of the Woman's Auxiliary, and this active membership shall be recognized by annual contributions to the Central Fund.

ART. V. There shall be an Annual Meeting of this society; time and place to be decided by the executive board.

ART. VI. The Diocesan officers constitute the executive board and under the Bishop, direct the work of this Branch of the Auxiliary.

ART. VII. This Constitution may be altered by a two-thirds vote of any Annual Meeting.

BY LAWS.

1. It shall be the duty of the President to call meetings, preside over them, and have general oversight of the whole work.
2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to act in the absence of the President.
3. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to conduct the correspondence of the society; to prepare for the Bishop and the Diocesan Convention an Annual Report of the work of the Auxiliary and to have printed for circulation a report of the work and of the Annual Meeting.
4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all moneys and disburse the same.
5. It shall be the duty of the Convocational Secretaries to keep in touch with the existing branches and to form new ones.
6. It shall be the duty of the Secretaries and Treasurers of the Junior Auxiliary and of the Babies' Branch to have the oversight of the work in their Branch; to receive all moneys and pay the same to the Treasurer; and to send an annual report to the Secretary.
7. It shall be the duty of the Secretary for the United Offering to arouse interest in the fund by correspondence and the circulation of literature.
8. The duties of the Secretary of the Colored Work shall be similar to the duties of the Convocational Secretaries.
9. All moneys shall be paid quarterly to the Treasurer; the last payments to be made not later than the first day of May.

REPORT

of the Diocesan Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Bishop at the Convention held in Charlotte.—May 19th, 1905.

Rt. Rev. Father in God:—

In making a report of the eleven month's work of the Woman's Auxiliary in the diocese of North Carolina from June 1st, 1904 to May 1st, 1905—the Secretary can only give an account of six months individual effort. During the summer Miss Horner kindly consented to look after the work which she had carried on successfully for many years. Owing to her efforts, combined with the work of the Secretary, Miss Smith, the United Offering was so increased that at the great Triennial Meeting in Boston our Honorary Secretary placed upon the alms basin a check for $1000, our part of the $150,000 which is helping all women workers who are making our Church known and loved in every land.

In October a President and new Diocesan Secretary were appointed by you to fill the place heretofore occupied by the Diocesan Secretary and on Nov. 1st they entered upon their duties. The work was well organized under former Secretaries and is still going on under efficient and experienced Diocesan and Parochial officers, —so that no attempt has been made to change any plan of work. And yet there is no organization which cannot be broadened and strengthened; so for this reason the Secretary has had three aims in view towards the accomplishment of this result. First, to organize, with the consent of the Rector, a branch of the Auxiliary in every parish and mission station in the diocese; Second, to interest branches in the study of missions; and Third, to increase the membership and the interest of every existing branch.

By way of accomplishing the first of these objects, the Secretary has visited several small parishes and mission stations and organized branches. The President and Arch-deacons have organized others, so that in the course of a few months seven new branches have been added. It is earnestly hoped that we may go back to the old title and office of Convocational Secretary. These Secretaries, by subdividing the Convocations may come more in touch with the people of the Church and make personal efforts to organize new branches.

As a stimulus to the study of missions, Miss Jarvis, head of the School of Bible Study in New Milford, Conn., was invited to visit as many of the branches as her limited time would permit. She gave eight instructive talks, inspiring those who heard her with a desire to see and know more of the missionary work of the Church.—It is interesting to note that many new mission study classes have been formed; that nearly every branch in the diocese is doing some mission study, and that the course of Lenten study, recommended at the meeting in Boston has been almost universally adopted.

And lastly, as an aid to individual members, we observe the Intercessory days. In March Dr. Lloyd came to us to conduct a Quiet Day; so that by prayer and intercession we might gain that spiritual help which is the real strength of the Auxiliary. God grant that by STUDY, by WORK, and by PRAYER we may help forward the time when the kingdoms of this world will become the Kingdom of His Son.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

For Diocesan Missions	$267.19	Number of branches	52
For Thompson Orphanage	$416.41		
For Domestic Missions	$344.85	Increase for the year	7
For Foreign Missions	$215.76	Number of members	878
For Specials	$318.00		
For Apportionment	$102.47	Increase	87
For United Offering	$426.50		
For Central Fund	$114,47	Increase in gifts for the year	$492.74
For Clergy Retiring Fund	$177.58		
For C. P. C.	$ 29.47	Intercessory Days observed by 22 branches	
	$2412.70		
Missionary Boxes to value of	$823.05	Lenten Study Classes 21 branches	
Total	$3235.75		

REPORT OF JUNIOR BRANCH.

For Diocesan Missions	$ 28.51		
For Domestic Missions	134.60	Missionary boxes to the value of	$152.75
For Foreign Missions	130.77		
For Apportionment	16.88	Total - - -	$737.49
For United Offering	62.95		
For Central fund	35.97	Number of Branches	34
For Thompson Orphanage	162.22	Number of Members	1001
For St. Augustine's	10.84		
For Clergy Retiring Fund	2 00		

REPORT OF BABIES' BRANCH.

For Domestic Missions	$143.00	Number of branches	45
For Foreign Missions	46.00	Increase for the year	8
For Apportionment	2.86	Number of members	408
For United Offering	5.00	Increase	82
For United Work of Babies' Br.	11.00	Increase in gifts	$38.81
For Central Fund	10.34		
Total - - -	$218.20		

Number of Members, including Woman's Auxiliary, Juniors and Babies' Branch 2307.

Whole Amount of Offering - - - - - - $4191.44

Branches visited from November 1904, to April 1905, by

DIOCESAN SECRETARY.

Woman's Auxiliaries of Tarborough, Scotland Neck, Lawrence, St. Mary's Edgecombe, Rocky Mount, Battleboro, Enfield, Wilson, Christ Church Raleigh, Ch. of the Good Shepherd Raleigh, St. Mary's Raleigh, and Chapel Hill.

The Junior Auxiliaries of Tarborough and St. Mary's Raleigh.

Respectfully submitted,

KATE CHESHIRE,

Tarborough, N. C., May, 1905. Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Diocesan—at Bishop Cheshire's Disposal		$188.57
Thompson Orphanage		393.21
Beaufort		84.00
Domestic—District of Asheville, at Bishop Horner's Disposal		160.82
South Florida, at Bishop Gray's Disposal		42.75
St. Augustine's School—St. Agnes Hospital		22.75
Alaska—Bishop Rowe's Companion		46.50
Foreign Missions		27.25
Japan—Miss Babcock's Salary		66.25
Japan—Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship		52.50
Japan—Lindsay Patton Scholarship		40.75
China—Bishop Ingle Memorial		40.00
Apportionment—September by Miss Horner	$23.30	105.53
Apportionment—May by Mrs. Blair	82.23	
C. P. C.		29.55
Clergy Retiring Fund Society		174.63
Specials		230.41
		$1705.47

United Offering	$310.38	
1902-03	220.48	
Interest	11.69	
Offering at Annual Meeting	51.00	
1903-04	285.08	
* Total	$878.63	
United Offering now in Bank	$42.63	

CENTRAL FUND.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Balance 1904	$22.04	Paid by Miss Horner for Printing	$52.74
Advertisements	30.70	Paid to Miss Horner for Printing	25.46
Woman's Auxiliary	114.47	Paid to Mrs. Burgwyn for Stationery and Postage	4.52
		Paid to Miss Cheshire for Printing and Postage	11.96
		Paid to Mrs. Blair for book and Postage	3.49
			$98.17
		Balance on hand	69.04
	$167.21		$167.21

ADELINE CLEVELAND BLAIR, Treasurer.

* Offering collected in Boston with Junior and Babies' offering making whole amount of United Offering - - - - - $1000.00

MINUTES OF OFFICERS' MEETING MAY 18th.

The annual business meeting of Diocesan Officers was held on Thursday, May 18th at 11 o'clock, a. m., at the residence of Capt. John Wilkes. The officers present were Mrs. John Wilkes, Mrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn, Miss Kate Cheshire, Mrs. Dorian Blair, Mrs. R. H. Lewis, Mrs. John Van Landingham, Mrs. J. T. Bennett. Miss A. E. Smith, Mrs. A. B. Andrews, Mrs. W. J. Smith, Mrs. M. A. Bland and Mrs. F. S. Spruill. The meeting was opened with prayer by the President, after which were read the minutes of the February meeting of officers, held in Raleigh. The Constitution and By-Laws framed at the February meeting were read and discussed, clause by clause. As amended they were read at the proper time for voting upon the Constitution. The meeting adjourned at 2:00 o'clock, and convened again at half past eight at night when the revision of the Constitution was completed.

KATE CHESHIRE, Secretary.

MINUTES.

The twenty-third annual meeting of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was held in Charlotte, May 18 and 19th, 1905.

The officers met for special conference Thursday morning, at eleven o'clock at the residence of Mrs. John Wilkes.

In the afternoon a large and enjoyable reception was tendered the Auxiliary delegates and the Daughters of the King at the beautiful home of Dr. C. L. Alexander, by St. Peter's branch and the local chapter of the daughters.

At 8:30 in response to the President's request for further consulation the officers again met with Mrs. Wilkes.

Friday, May 19th was Auxiliary Day. Early Communion was celebrated by the Bishop of the diocese at 6:30 in St. Peter's Church. Promptly at ten o'clock the officers and delegates assembled in St. John's Chapel. After a short service Bishop Cheshire delivered an address. He recalled the fact that he had the honor and pleasure of speaking at the very first meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary in North Carolina, which was held in 1883 in Charlotte. He thanked the members for their very helpful sympathy and co-operation and for their substantial contributions, and in a happy manner asked for an increased sum to be placed at his disposal the

coming year. He then introduced to the Auxiliary its new officers. Mrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn, President, and Miss Kate Cheshire, Secretary.

The President took the chair as one accustomed to it, and called for the roll. The following responded:

OFFICERS:

Mrs. John Wilkes, Honorary Secretary.
Mrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn, President.
Miss Kate Cheshire, Secretary.
Mrs. R. H. Lewis, Vice-President.
Mrs. John T. Bennett, Vice-President.
Mrs. John Van Landingham, Vice-President.
Mrs. Dorian Blair, Treasurer.
Miss A. E. Smith, Secretary United Offering.
Mrs. A. B. Andrews, Secretary Apportionment.
Mrs. Walter J. Smith, President Babies' Branch.
Mrs. M. A. Bland, Secretary Convocation of Charlotte.
Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Secretary Convocation of Raleigh.

BRANCHES:

Ascension Mission, Cooleme, Miss Hairston.

Burlington, Mrs. Erwin Holt, Miss Holt.

Charlotte, St. Peter's, Mrs. Mallinckrodt, Mrs. Haughton, Miss Brown, Miss L. Orr, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Archbell, Mrs. H. C. Jones, Mrs. W. R. Taliaferro, Mrs. C. L. Hunter, Mrs. Henry McAden, Mrs. King, Miss Boyd, Mrs. Emery, Mrs. W. G. Myers, Mrs. Archibald Johnson, Mrs. Wilkes, Mrs. L. Jones, Mrs. Van Landingham, Mrs. Clarkson, Mrs. Heriot Clarkson, Mrs. Bland, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Jones.

For the Juniors, Miss Mary Morgan Myers.

Concord, Mrs. R. A. Gibson, Mrs. James Gibson.

Dilworth, Holy Comforter, Mrs. Yorke, Mrs Landis Mrs. Lance.

Durham, Mrs. L. A. Wall.

Greensboro, Mrs. Dorian Blair, Mrs. Ballard, Mrs. Cleveland.

Henderson, Mrs. Julian Ingle.

Hillsboro, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Webb, Miss Nash.

Lawrence, Miss Cheshire.

Louisburg, Mrs. F. S. Spruill.

Leaksville, Mrs. W. S. Martin, Mrs. Thos. R. Sharp.

Monroe, Mrs. G. W. Redfern.

Pittsboro, Mrs. W. L. London.

Raleigh, Christ Church, Mrs. Richard Lewis.

Raleigh, Good Shepherd, Miss Sarah Cheshire, Mrs. A. B. Andrews.

Salisbury, Mrs. Joseph McNeely, Mrs. Price.

Scotland Neck, Miss A. E. Smith.

Southern Pines, Miss Jenkins, Mrs. Beck.

Stoneville, Miss Smith, Miss Stephens.
Tarborough, Mrs. J. L. Bridgers.
From The Juniors, Miss Pender.
Weldon, Mrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn.
Wadesboro, Mrs. Walter Edwards.
From The Juniors, Miss Maidie Welsh.
Winston, Mrs. Clement Manly.

The Secretary read the Minutes of the officers meeting of the day before, and a resolution of regret upon the resignation of the former Secretary, Miss Horner; also a new constitution and by-laws, prepared to meet the growing needs of the organization.

A cordial welcome to Charlotte was spoken by Mrs. John Wilkes. In these words:

Dear Friends:

I am asked to welcome you to Charlotte, and I do this most heartily, although of necessity briefly. I hope that our meeting will do us all good, and make us love each other better; and especially I pray that this conference may result in giving an impetus to the missionary work by rousing us all to greater earnestness and enthusiasm in helping to fulfill our Master's command to make known His gospel of glad tidings to all the dark places of the earth.

I trust that you will all enjoy these days with us so much that you will be glad to come often to Charlotte. We are always glad to receive visitors, and are rather proud of Charlotte's reputation as a pleasant place to visit. And so I hope you will find it—I bid you all a most hearty welcome to our homes and hearts.

This was gracefully responded to by the President in her address as follows:

Madam Chairman, and Members of the North Carolina Branch of The Woman's Auxiliary:

Amongst the musical sounds in nature, there is none so sweet as the tones of the human voice, speaking words of kindness and love—The King of Instruments in the hand of an artist, is the voice, which has just tendered to us assembled in Convention, kind and fraternal welcome to the homes of this hospitable city; and as an echo we send back the assurance of our appreciation and gratitude.

Thanks are also due from the Chair for the privilege of aiding in the work of the Church, during the last eight months, in the exalted position which I occupy. To my predecessor in office I am indebted for much kindness and assistance, finding her ever ready to help in time of need. The example of our Honorary Secretary, always an inspiration, and the most efficient work of the other Diocesan Officers have been a lamp unto my feet, and a light to my pathway." The duty of making the annual report of our work,

has been assigned to the Diocesan Secretary, so she will tell of the lengthening of our cords, and the consequent strengthening of our stakes. The Quiet Day which was observed in Christ Church, Raleigh, on March first, was ably and kindly conducted by the Rev. Dr. Lloyd, and gave us all the opportunity of great spiritual advancement. The ladies of Christ Church, and of the Church of the Good Shepherd, were loving and considerate in their hospitality, and in making all arrangements for this occasion. For the convenience and information of the Officers and others engaged in Auxiliary work, I recommend that the pledges made by the Parish Branches at our annual meetings, a short Constitution, and By-Laws defining the duties of the Officers, be printed in the Reports, of those meetings. The additional expense incurred by this, will be small, and the benefit derived, very great. As there is inspiration as well as power in knowledge, I urge a more general subscription to "The Spirit of Missions." It will be an addition to any library as an historical and literary magazine, and as an aid to us in Church work, is as necessary as an army or naval journal to a military man, or a commercial publication to the man of business. Last, and by no means least, I beg the assistance of the Rectors of all the Parishes. A little advice and admonition from them, will prove that a word, as well as silence, may be golden. With love for all of you, my fellow laborers, and the assurance, that, at the call of my Bishop, and I tried to think at the call of the Master whom we serve, I have done my best in this work, I am,

Faithfully yours,

MARGARET C. D. BURGWYN.

The Treasurer, Mrs. Dorian Blair, made her report, which was repeated in that of the Secretary before the convention. Mrs. Blair made special mention of the generosity of the Auxiliary of Christ Church, Raleigh, and the Church of the Good Shepherd in paying the expenses of Dr. Lloyd, the speaker at the observance of the Quiet Day in Christ Church, and in turning into the General Treasury the amount collected beyond what was needed for that purpose. Mrs. Lewis was requested to convey to the two branches in Raleigh the thanks of the North Carolina Auxiliary.

Miss A. E. Smith spoke cheerfully of the increased interest in the United Offering, stating that the amount given by this diocese at Boston at the Triennial service was $1,000. She recommended an especial United Offering meeting to be held by each branch once a year and suggested September as an appropriate time.

It was announced that the hour had arrived for the reading of the Secretary's report before the Bishop and the Convention of the diocese of North Carolina. The whole assembly went in a body to St. Peter's Church. Miss Cheshire gave a full and comprehensive account of the work since it had been committed to her charge. She stated that the Woman's Auxiliary now has members, 898 whose

contributions for the past eleven months amounted to $3235.75; that the Juniors number 1,001; their receipts were $734.47. The Babies' Branch has 487 members and gave $222.21. Total membership 2386. Amount contributed $4192.43.

Bishop Cheshire next introduced, Mr. John W. Wood, General Secretary to the Board of Missions. Mr. Wood is ever an interesting speaker. His office makes him familiar with the missionary effort of the Church, his travels keep him in touch with the open field—so he is heard as one having the authority of knowledge. He told the convention that North Carolina is notable for her ready help in the wide work of the Church, that she had been one of the first dioceses to pay in full her apportionment. He spoke with enthusiasm of the Woman's Auxiliary and its United Offering; of what it had accomplished and is yet to accomplish; of the women through it sent as teachers, nurses and deaconesses into foreign fields and of their courage, faith and endurance. He pictured conditions in India, China and Japan and told how women could minister in ways not open to men. He narrated incidents in Indian life, in mining towns and in Mountain recesses proving the great need for women workers in the expansion of the Church at home. He gave a thrilling account of a service in South Dakota where 2000 Indians gathered and erected in a night their tents and an altar unto the Lord. He spoke with gratitude of the accession to the missionary ranks of Mr. Huhn of Wilmington, who is styled "the flying preacher" because of his rapid journeys on dog sleds, and made an appeal for others from this State to follow his example. In reminding his hearers of the convention to be held at Richmond in 1907, when the men of the Church will present a thank offering for 300 years of English christianity, Mr. Wood expressed the hope that it will not only equal but exceed the noble gift of $150,000 of the women at the last general convention. By motion of Mr. Richard Battle the thanks of the Convention were extended by a rising vote to the Woman's Auxiliary for its report, and to Mr. Wood for his inspiring address.

Upon the return to St. John's Chapel the hearing of reports was resumed. When the Vice-Presidents were called they stated that owing to the fact that their duties had been but vaguely defined they had done little and had no reports. Mrs. Van Landingham said that she has written letters with a hope of starting branches at ten different points but had succeeded in organizing only one, that at Cooleme, with Mrs. Henry Rice as President.

The director of the Juniors, Mrs. F. J. Murdock, sent her report which was read by Mrs. Jos. McNeely. It was with sincere regret that the Auxiliary heard of the resignation of Mrs. Murdock, who for a number of years has most faithfully and efficiently served the Juniors.

Mrs. Walter Smith gave an interesting account of the Babies'

Branch in the convocation of Charlotte, showing a great deal accomplished by her and Mrs. M. A. Bland, the Secretary.

The noon hour having arrived Prayer was said by the Honorary Secretary.

Mrs. F. S. Spruill followed with an excellent report for the convocation of Raleigh and read the eloquent letter written by her to the little baby helpers. Her report was accepted by a rising vote.

Mrs. A. B. Andrews presented a statement of the receipts for the apportionment and reported many letters sent out by her in the interest of the fund, the results of which were most encouraging. Accepted.

A letter from Miss Horner, conveying loving greetings was read by Miss Cheshire, and also Miss Horner's appeal for a thank offering from the assembled branches for the going of Miss Ellen Hicks of Oxford as a missionary to the Philippine Islands. The offering amounted to $41.00.

Mrs. Bland read the sixteenth annual report of the Church Periodical Club of which Miss Rebecca Cameron is the efficient correspondent. Upon its acceptance the President appointed Mrs. Sharpe, Mrs. Andrews and Miss Cheshire a committee to draw up resolutions of thanks to Miss Cameron with regret at her absence.

On motion of Mrs. John Bennett the names of all ladies present from the Charlotte Branches were placed upon the roll as delegates. The meeting adjourned to meet again at four o'clock.

The chief work of the afternoon session was the consideration of the constitution and by-laws. They are designed to meet the enlarged growth of the Auxiliary, to define the duties of the increased number of officers and to be prepared for the emergency that at sometime it may be desirable to hold the annual meeting at a different time and place from the diocesan convention.

A report of the circulation of the Spirit of Missions, sent by Miss Annie Wetmore, was read by Miss Cheshire. Also an excellent report of the colored work as conducted by Mrs. Delaney.

A gracious letter from Bishop Horner was read by Mrs. Blair. It expressed sincere thanks for contributions from the Auxiliary and told of present needs in the Asheville Jurisdiction. Rev. Mr. Ingle, through Mrs. Blair, made a statement of the receipts from the North Carolina Branch to the Clergymen's Retiring Fund, and gratefully acknowledged appreciation.

Mrs. C. L. Hunter appealed to the members to observe promptness in paying dues, thus lessening the trials of the Treasurers of branches, and the annoyance of the diocesan Treasurer in making her report.

The committee appointed in the morning read the resolution of thanks to Miss Cameron, which was unanimously adopted.

A letter from Boone School, Wuchang, China was presented

requesting books. Various branches at once promised that they should be sent. Miss Esdale Shaw, who several years ago received assistance from the Auxiliary to build a church at Rockingham, told of its completion and its beauty. She amusingly portrayed some of the difficulties met and overcome. Mrs. Van Landingham spoke of an Auxiliary column in the Messenger of Hope which Mr. Smith has generously placed at the command of the Auxiliary. She begged all the branches to send to her all items of interest to the Woman's Auxiliary, the Juniors and the Babies' that it may indeed prove a medium of information to all.

It was resolved that an expression of gratitude be extended the ladies of Charlotte for their gracious hospitality.

Mrs. Burgwyn called Mr. John W. Wood to the chair who conducted an informal conference, speaking on the Spirit of Missions, the United Offering, the Apportionment, Boone School at Wuchang, China, Missionary study and other topics of special interest. He explained the difference between the apportionment of the Woman's Auxiliary and the Missionary apportionment of the various parishes and dioceses, answering many questions asked by the ladies. Rev. Mr. Cocke was invited to make a talk, and most graphicly related the experience of a friend who went as Missionary to Africa. Rev. Mr. Mallinckrodt concluded the meeting in a clarion call to service and a bouyant God-speed to the women in their work for the church. A hymn was sung and the Auxiliary adjourned, to meet in Henderson in 1906.

There was an interest in the meeting that was marked. The women assembled promptly, and showed no restlessness. Mrs. Burgwyn presided with a dignity and familiarity with parliamentary usages that dispatched business, yet with a willingness to have every matter duly considered, that was both graceful and gracious. Miss Cheshire threw her energy and enthusiasm into various discussions and convinced everyone that with such leaders the Auxiliary can but go forward. Inspiration was gained from addresses and from personal association. Charlotte will feel the influence of the convention for years to come.

Respectfully submitted,

M. O. Van Landingham,

Sec. pro. tem.

THE INTERCESSORY DAYS WERE OBSERVED BY THE FOLLOWING BRANCHES:

St. Matthew's, Hillsboro; Calvary, Tarborough; Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill; St. Paul's, Louisburg; Grace, Lawrence; Holy Innocents, Henderson; Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh; St. Mark's, Bristow; Emmanuel, Southern Pines; Calvary, Wadesboro; St. Timothy, Wilson; St. Augustine's, Raleigh; Trinity, Scotland Neck; St. Paul's, Monroe; Church of the Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount; St. Mary's, Raleigh; St. Athanasius, Burlington; St. Stephen's, Oxford; Epiphany, Leaksville; St. Andrew's, Greensboro; St. Barnabas, Greensboro; St. Peter's Charlotte.

MISSION STUDY BY THE FOLLOWING BRANCHES.

Calvary, Tarborough; Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill; St. Mary's, Edgecombe; St Bartholomew's, Pittsboro; St. Paul's, Louisburg; Christ Church, Raleigh; Calvary, Wadesboro; Church of Good Shepherd, Raleigh; Emmanuel, Southern Pines; St. Augustine's, Raleigh; Trinity, Scotland Neck; St. Timothy's, Wilson; Church of the Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount; Church of the Advent, Enfield; St. Athanasius, Burlington; St. Stephen's, Oxford; St. Philip's, Durham; St. Mary's, Raleigh; St. Andrew's, Greensboro; St. Barnabas, Greensboro; Holy Comforter, Dilworth.

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES AND OFFICERS.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE.

Battleboro—St. John's
Mrs. H. B. Marriott, President, Miss Mary Philips, Secretary.

Enfield—Church of the Advent
Mrs. Frank Pippen, President, Miss Mary Harrison, Secretary.

Edgecombe—St. Mary's Chapel
Mrs. O. House, President, Miss Bessie Jones, Secretary.

Halifax—St. Mark's
Mrs. T. W. Fenner, President, Mrs. Geo. Gillliam, Secretary and Treasurer.

Jackson—Church of the Saviour
Mrs. W. T. Picard, President, Miss S. E. Peebles, Vice-President, Miss L. H. Whitfield, Secretary and Treasurer.

Lawrence—Grace Chapel
Mrs. A. D. Knight, President, Mrs. S. N. Howard, Vice-President, Miss Winnie Hicks, Secretary and Treasurer.

Roanoke Rapids—
Mrs. H. C. Cooper, President, Miss Effie Waldo, Secretary and Treasurer.

Rocky Mount—Good Shepherd
Mrs. B. H. Bunn, President, Mrs. M. M. Chalk, Secretary.

Scotland Neck—Trinity
Mrs. A. E. Smith, President, Mrs. I. H. Smith, Vice-President, Mrs. A. L. Purrington, Secretary.

Tarborough—Calvary
Mrs. H. T. Bass, President, Miss A. C. Parker, Secretary, Mrs. J. W. Cotten, Treasurer.

Weldon—Grace
Mrs. Eva Davis, President, Mrs. J. T. Chambers, Vice-President, Mrs. W. R. Smith, Secretary, Mrs. C. L. Clark, Treasurer.

Wilson—St. Timothy's
Mrs. H. G. Connor, President, Mrs. J. C. Hales, Vice-President, Mrs. Minnie H. Murray, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE.

Chapel Hill—Chapel of the Cross
Mrs. J. C. McRae, President, Mrs. F. P. Venable, Secretary.

Durham—St. Philip's
Mrs. R. W. Winston, President, Mrs. Mary Saunders, Vice-President, Mrs. B. S. Leake, Secretary, Mrs. Wm. A. Graham, Treasurer.

Henderson—Holy Innocents
Rev. J. E. Ingle, President, Mrs. D. Y. Cooper, Vice-President, Mrs. W. W. Parker, Secretary, Mrs. E. G. Landis, Treasurer.

Hillsboro—St. Matthew's
Miss Henrietta Collins, President, Mrs. W. A. Hayes, Miss Rebecca Hill, Vice-Presidents, Miss Rebecca Cameron, Secretary, Miss Lily Hamilton, Treasurer.

Louisburg—St. Paul's
Mrs. John London, President, Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Secretary, Mrs. W. H. Ruffin, Treasurer.

Oxford—St. Stephen's
Miss Mary Horner, President, Miss M. B. Hilliard, Vice-President, Mrs. J. C. Horner, Secretary, Mrs. Louis DeLa Croix, Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF WAKE.

Dunn—
Mrs. D. W. Smith, President, Miss Susie H. Sessoms, Secretary, Miss Annie Thomas, Treasurer.

Littleton—St. Albans
Mrs. Peter Spruill, President, Mrs. Joyner, Vice-President, Miss Lucy Capehart, Secretary and Treasurer.

Middleburg—Church of the Heavenly Rest
Mrs. Herbert Church, President, Mrs. Fannie A. Carrol, Secretary, Miss Kate Plummer, Treasurer.

Raleigh—Christ Church
Mrs. Richard H. Lewis, President, Mrs. Parker, Vice-President, Miss Annie L. Devereux, Secretary, Mrs. Kemp P. Battle, Jr., Treasurer.

Raleigh—Good Shepherd
Mrs. I. McK. Pittenger, President, Miss Mattie Bailey, Vice-President, Mrs. Jas. E. Shepherd, Secretary, Mrs. J. B. Cheshire, Treasurer.

Raleigh—St Mary's
Miss Lola Walton, President, Miss Juliet Sutton, Vice-President, Miss Kate McKimmon, Secretary, Miss Kate Shipp, Treasurer.

Raleigh—St. Augustine's
Mrs. H. B. Delany, President, Mrs. C. H. Bayer, Secretary, Mrs. A. B. Hunter, Treasurer.

Raleigh—St. Ambrose
Miss M. E. Philips, President, Mrs. M. A. Williams, Vice-President, Miss C. S. Young, Secretary, Mrs. J. E. King, Treasurer.

Ridgeway—Good Shepherd
Miss Lucy Edwards, Secretary and Treasurer.

Southern Pines—Emmanuel
Mrs. G. H. Lacy, President, Mrs. H. T. Gregory, Vice-President, Miss Anna B. Jenks, Secretary, Mrs. C. T. Patch, Treasurer.

Warrenton—Emmanuel
Mrs. Wm. J. White, President, Mrs. H. L. Falkener, Secretary, Miss Nannie White, Treasurer.

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

DISTRICT OF FORSYTH.

Germanton—St. Philip's
Mount Airy—Trinity
Winston—St. Paul's
Mrs, J. C. Buxton, President, Mrs. Pride Jones, Vice-President, Mrs. Clement Manly, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD.

Burlington—St. Athanasius
Mrs. J. Q. Gant, President, Mrs. Chas. E. McLean, Secretary and Treasurer.

Greensboro—St. Andrew's
Mrs. Dorian H. Blair, President, Mrs. N. A. Stedman, Vice-President, Mrs. Clarence H. Brown, Secretary, Mrs. Maria Pope, Treasurer.

Greensboro—St. Barnabas
Mrs. D. A. Staples, President, Mrs. Chas. M. Stedman, Vice-President, Mrs. J. S. Caldwell, Secretary, Mrs. E. J. Justice, Treasurer.

High Point—St Mary's

Leaksville—Epiphany
Mrs. T. R. Sharp, President, Mrs. W. S. Martin, Secretary and Treasurer.

Stoneville—Emmanuel
Miss Annie L. Smith, President, Miss L. M. Stephens, Secretary.

Madison—St. John's
Mrs. J. M. Galloway, President, Miss Pratt, Secretary, Miss Cunningham, Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG.

Bristow—St. Mark's
Miss Esther W. McCoy, Secretary and Treasurer.

Charlotte—St. Peter's
Miss Laura Orr, President, Mrs. Harris Mallinckrodt, Vice-President, Mrs. J. L. Archbell, Secretary, Mrs. C. L. Hunter, Treas.

Charlotte—St. Michael's
Mrs. A. E. Alston, President, Mrs. Jas. A. Pethel, Secretary, Mrs. A. D. Perry, Treasurer.

Dilworth—Holy Comforter
Mrs. John Yorke, President, Mrs. Philip Lance, Secretary and Treasurer.

Monroe—St. Paul's
Mrs. J. M. Fairley, President, Mrs. G. W. Redfern, Vice-President, Mrs. M. E. McCauley, Secretary and Treasurer.

Wadesboro—Calvary
Mrs. Wm. P. Parsons, President, Mrs. R. E. Little, Vice-President, Mrs. Walter A. Edmunds, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF ROWAN.

Ascension Mission—
Mrs. F. C. Hairston, President, Miss Ruth W. Hairston, Secretary, Miss Agnes Hairston, Treasurer.

Concord—All Saints
Mrs. R. E. Gibson, President, Mrs. M. L. Brown, Vice-President, Mrs. James Gibson, Secretary, Mrs. Gowan Dunsenbury, Treasurer.

Salisbury—St. Luke's
Mrs. F. J. Murdoch, President, Mrs. Isenhour, Vice-President, Mrs. Mary O. Linton, Secretary, Miss Mary Evans, Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Apportionment	Diocesan Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
Battleboro	6	$	$ 30	$	$	$	$ 1 50	$	$	$	$	$ 1 80		$
Enfield	12				2 00	16 40						18 40		
St. Mary's, Edgecombe	7	50					1 00	1 00	1 00			3 50		
Halifax	5	50	50		50	1 00	1 00	2 00	2 00		5 00	12 50		
Jackson	10	80	11 15				5 00	3 00	2 00			21 95		
Lawrence	20	2 00	1 00			1 10	2 00				1 50	7 60	1	10 00
Roanoke Rapids														
Rocky Mount	27		10 00			10 00	5 00	3 50	10 00		5 00	43 50		
Scotland Neck	31	3 10	7 10	5 50	3 45	4 12	3 06	5 00	2 50		1 00	34 83	1	54 90
Tarborough	34	6 40	20 64	10 00		14 30	13 20	16 57	15 00		12 00	108 11	1	25 85
Weldon	16	2 00	2 60			2 00	2 00	4 00	2 00		2 00	16 60	1	33 00
Wilson	26	1 10	10 75	2 50	1 80	6 50	15 00	8 85	3 85		2 50	52 85	1	35 00
Total	194	16 40	64 04	18 00	7 75	55 42	48 76	43 92	38 35		29 00	321 64	5	158 75

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Apportionment	Diocesan Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
Chapel Hill	18	2 00		2 60	1 50	2 00	7 00	12 00	3 50		6 00	36 60		
Durham	38	3 80	41 19	14 35	5 00	15 00	45 00	35 13	15 00	2 00	12 00	188 47	1	53 25
Henderson	75	4 80	28 64	11 00	12 47	25 20	40 45	9 97	16 79	1 00	12 00	172 32	3	67 50
Hillsboro	22	2 20	31 60	17 10	2 00	14 50	5 00	8 00	6 50	3 00	15 00	104 90	1	70 00
~~Louisburg~~ ?	12	1 00	8 60	7 10	2 50		50 00	15 00	5 00		12 00	100 60		
Oxford	21	2 10	20 25	25 00	10 00	19 00	10 00	14 75	7 50	1 50	12 00	122 10	2	46 00
Total	186	15 90	129 68	77 15	33 47	75 70	157 45	104 85	54 29	7 50	69 00	724 99	7	236 75

DISTRICT OF WAKE.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Apportionment	Diocesan Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
Dunn	4					1 00	1 00					2 00		
Littleton	11	1 74	10 42		5 00		3 25	4 70		2 02	3 25	30 38		
Middleburg	11		4 00				11 00					15 00	2	11 00
Pittsboro	12		3 85				25 95				3 00	32 80	2	55 00
Raleigh, Christ Church	37	3 70	36 00	19 73		20 00		15 00	20 00	1 95	5 00	116 38	1	30 00
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	66	27 45	30 00	1 05	10 00	10 00	11 50	30 00	26 00	2 50	12 00	163 45	3	99 00
Raleigh, St. Mary's	13	1 30	3 48	20 00		4 95		14 00				43 73		
Raleigh, St. Augustine's	20	3 25	25 00		10 00	10 00	7 50	50 00	14 00		12 00	131 75		
Raleigh, St. Ambrose	16	14 28	1 05									15 33	2	23 40
Ridgeway	7	60		3 30	1 00	3 00	2 25	2 25	1 00		2 00	15 40		
Southern Pines	26	1 00	3 80		4 25	5 00	5 00	11 00	9 00			39 05	1	22 00
Warrenton	20	1 00	11 00	3 00	3 00	10 00	7 00	1 00	2 00		3 00	41 00	1	35 40
Total	243	54 32	128 60	56 03	33 25	63 95	74 45	122 95	66 00	6 47	40 25	646 27	12	275 80

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Appor-tionment	Diocesan Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
DISTRICT OF FORSYTH.														
		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$		$
Germanton														
Mount Airy														
Winston	20	2 00	5 50	10 00	5 00	4 00	5 00	4 00	3 00		2 00	40 50		
Total	20	2 00	5 50	10 00	5 00	4 00	5 00	4 00	3 00		2 00	40 50		
DISTRICT OF GUILFORD														
Burlington	14	1 40	5 00	50 00	1 60	6 53					3 83	68 36		
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	26	2 60	12 07	5 50	6 00	6 78	10 00	25 60	5 82	6 00	12 00	92 37		
Greensboro, St. Barnabas		1 60	3 14	2 05	1 00	7 00	14 50	11 00	4 00			44 29		
High Point														
Leaksville	15	1 50	8 00		2 50	2 50	5 00	4 00	4 50	1 00	2 00	31 00		
Stoneville	5	25	50		1 00			75	1 50	50	1 00	5 50	2	50 00
Madison														
Total	60	7 35	28 71	57 55	12 10	22 81	39 50	41 35	15 82	7 50	18 83	251 52	2	50 00
DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG.														
Bristow	15	1 50	1 00		40	2 15	5 35		5 00			15 40		
Charlotte, St. Peter's	84	8 40	38 00	15 05		20 96	1 35	21 28	20 81		5 00	130 84	1	28 00
Charlotte, St. Michaels	15	1 50			3 00	4 00	3 00					11 50		
Dilworth, Holy Comforter	10													
Monroe	13	1 30	2 00									3 30	2	10 00
Wadesboro	14	1 40	10 00		3 50	6 00	12 00	4 00	3 00	7 00	1 00	47 9	2	28 75
Total	151	14 10	51 00	15 05	6 90	33 11	21 70	25 28	28 80	7 00	6 00	208 94	5	66 75
DISTRICT OF ROWAN.														
Ascension Mission	3	30	3 00	3 00	1 00	2 20			2 00	1 00	2 50	15 00		
Concord	16	1 60	10 97	2 00			25 00		2 50		10 00	52 07	1	25 00
Salsbury	25	2 50	5 00	79 22	3 00	10 00	44 55	2 50	5 00			151 77	1	10 00
Total	44	4 40	18 97	84 22	4 00	12 20	69 55	2 50	9 50	1 00	12 50	218 84	2	35 00

SUMMARY.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Apportionment	Diocesan Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	C. P. C.	C. R. F. S.	Total	Boxes	Value
CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH														
Edgecombe District	1 94	$ 16 40	$ 64 04	$ 18 0	$ 7 75	$ 55 42	$ 48 76	$ 43 92	$ 38 35	$	$ 29 00	$ 321 64	5	$ 158 75
Granville District	1 86	15 90	129 68	77 15	33 47	75 70	157 45	104 85	54 29	7 50	69 00	724 99	7	236 75
Wake District	2 43	54 32	128 60	56 03	33 25	63 95	74 45	122 95	66 00	6 47	40 25	646 27	12	275 80
CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.														
Forsyth District	20	2 00	5 50	10 00	5 00	4 00	5 00	4 00	3 00		2 00	40 50		
Guilford District	60	7 35	28 71	57 55	12 10	22 81	39 50	41 35	15 82	7 50	18 83	251 52	2	50 00
Mecklenburg District	151	14 10	51 00	15 05	6 90	33 11	21 70	25 28	28 80	7 00	6 00	208 94	5	66 75
Rowan District	44	4 40	18 97	84 22	4 00	12 2	69 55	2 50	9 50	1 0	12 50	218 84	2	35 00
Total	898	114 47	426 50	318 09	102 47	267 19	416 41	344 85	215 76	29 47	177 58	2 412 70	33	823 05

Whole Amount of Offering $3 235.75

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No. 22. St. Luke's, Salisbury—No Librarian.
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Mrs. Jno. Wilkes, Charlotte, - - -	1.00
Woman's Auxiliary, St. Andrew's, Greensboro, -	6.00
Dr. M. C. Cameron, Caswell County, - - -	1.00
A. J. Cameron, Macon, Ga. - - - -	1.00
Miss Rebecca Cameron, Hillsboro, - - -	1.00
Junior Auxiliary, St. Mary's School, Raleigh,	6.00
Woman's Auxiliary, Leaksville, - - -	1.00
Woman's Auxiliary, Good Shepherd, Raleigh, - -	2.50
Woman's Auxiliary, Stoneville, - - -	.50
Woman's Auxiliary, Hillsborough, - - - -	3.00
Woman's Auxiliary, Oxford, - - - - -	1.50
Woman's Auxiliary, Henderson, - - - -	1.00
Woman s Auxiliary, Cooleme - - - - -	1.00
Woman's Auxiliary, Durham, - - - - -	2.00
Woman's Auxiliary, Scotland Neck, - - - -	2.10
Woman's Auxiliary, Wadesboro, - - - -	7.00
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Through Miss Helen Webb, Hillsboro, - - -	.25
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	$42.80

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REBECCA CAMERON,
Correspondent Church Periodical Club.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

TO THE JUNIORS OF NORTH CAROLINA:

May the 1st, 1905 closed another year of Junior Auxiliary work. As several Branches have failed to send in a report, I find it hard to make a correct summary of what has been accomplished during the past twelve months. I can only give the bare figures as recorded in my books.

New Branches 1; not reporting 6; total 34; Members 1001.

Our receipts in money are about the same as last year.

Thompson Orphanage	$162.22
Foreign Missions	130.77
Domestic Missions	134.60
Diocesan Missions	28.51
United Offering	19.84
Saint Augustine's	10.84
Apportionment	16.88
Clergy Retiring Fund	2.00
Boxes sent 20, valued	$152.75

Again the $40 pledged for little Yoshio in Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan, has been paid. 18 Branches having remained faithful to this pledge. While a few have grown indifferent, many have labored zealously, and the interest shown by many Branches has been exceedingly gratifying. Finding it necessary to give up the office of Diocesan Secretary of the Junior Auxiliary, I will leave the plan of work for the ensuing year to my successor, whom the Bishop will appoint at once.

In retiring, I wish to thank you one and all for your loyalty and kind assistance in the work which I have done so imperfectly, trusting that your zeal and enthusiasm may daily increase more and more

Assuring you of my continued interest in you and your work

Sincerely,

(Mrs F. J.) Lila M. Murdoch.

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Director, Miss Fanny L. Whitley.

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Director, Mary Kerr London.
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Director, Mr. F. M. Kennedy. Treasurer, Mrs. A. B. Hunter.
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President, Miss Mary Hunter. Secretary, Miss Bessie Poindexter. Treasurer, Miss Mattie Jones.
Wilson—St. Timothy's.

Parish Branches	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Diocesan Missions	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	Apportionment	Clergy Retiring Fund	St. Augustine's	Thompson Orphanage	Boxes	Value	Total
Balance		$13 72	$37 51	$	$	$ 13 52	$	$	$	$		$	$ 64 75
Burlington, St. Athanasius				40		50	50			50			1 90
Bristow, St. Mark's	7			1 00						1 00			2 00
Charlotte, St. Peter's	25				19 47	5 00				5 00	1	30 00	59 47
Charlotte, St. Mary the Virgin	61	24	1 11		1 16	1 00	60		1 09		1	5 00	10 20
Charlotte, Holy Comforter *													
Durham, St. Philip's	20				20 00						2	11 00	31 00
Greensboro, St. Andrew's *													
Greensboro, St. Barnabas *													
Halifax, St. Mark's	4					50	55			1 50			2 55
Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	13	1 00	5 00			5 00			2 00	19 66			32 66
Jackson, Church of Our Saviour	4	15	85		5 00	1 00	1 00			1 00			9 00
Leaksvile, Epiphany	10									2 00			2 00
Lexington, Grace Church	23					6 00				8 00			14 00
Louisburg, St. Paul's	6	50	50	1 00		50				1 00	1	5 30	8 80
Monroe, St. Paul's *													
Oxford, St. Stephen's	52	2 60	2 00	6 00	33 00	5 50	2 00	1 00	50	10 00	1	10 00	72 60
Olive Branch, St. Timothy's											1	1 50	1 50
Pittsboro, (Mary Lippett) *													
Raleigh, St. Augustine's Chapel	150	1 75	2 00		10 00								13 75
Raleigh, St. Augustine's School	150	5 00	1 21		15 00	30 00	5 00			7 50			63 71
Raleigh, Christ Church	113					6 25							6 25
Raleigh, St. Mary's	120	5 10	6 00		10 00	30 00	5 10			30 00	6	29 00	115 20
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	12	70			10 00	4 50						6 25	21 45
Ridgeway, Good Shepherd	10			2 00		2 00				2 60	1		6 60
Rocky Mount, Good Shepherd	15	1 50		5 50	6 22	7 50		1 00		20 50	2	25 10	67 32
Salisbury, St. Luke's	60	58	1 00	2 48		1 50	1 50			1 50			8 56
Salisbury, St. Hilda											1	5 00	5 00
Scotland Neck, Trinity	33	83	1 65			2 50			1 50	10 73			17 21
Tarboro, Calvary	21	1 05				4 00				5 00	2	16 60	26 65
Southern Pines, Emmanuel	17				2 75	2 00			4 75	7 13			16 63
Statesville, Trinity	9		1 00	4 01		1 00			1 00				7 01
Wadesboro, (Bishop Gray)	25	1 25	1 50	6 12	2 00	1 00	63			8 00	1	8 00	28 50
Warrenton, (Gilbert Higgs)	41		1 62							19 60			21 22
Wilson, St. Timothy's *													
Total	1001	35 97	62 95	28 51	134 60	130 77	16 88	2 00	10 84	162 22	20	152 75	737 49

BABIES' BRANCH.

My Dear Little helpers:

Since my last letter was written, another Secretary has been chosen to care especially for the Little Helpers in the Convocation of Charlotte; and since last summer, Mrs. Bland has been busy sending out letters and boxes, and later, gathering in pennies. When you know her, I am sure you will love her very much, but this year she wishes me to tell you of the work we have all been doing.

Our branches have grown, and our offerings have grown. Seven new branches work with us, but most of them were established late and have very few members. Salisbury is really an old one come back, and we are especially glad to welcome its zealous Secretary and twenty-five members. Our two little members from High Point have removed from the Diocese. Two other branches reported from only a small part of their number, but we are sure they will do better next year. We want to hear from every member every year. Our Heavenly Father has called one little one to Himself, but a mother's love sends a generous offering—a memorial to the precious baby girl. Our seventeen branches have given $73.55.

Again we send our offering to keep little Toka in Holy Trinity Orphanage, another to Bishop Horner to help train our little girl in his school at Valle Crucis. A small gift went to Mrs. Hunter for her Kindergarten work. Our largest gift went to the Thompson Orphanage, to help take care of the seventy little ones who find a home there. Seven dollars were given to the Clergymen's Retiring Fund, that our baby soldiers, just entering on life's warfare, may bless those older ones who can no longer engage in active service, but are spared to be a benediction and inspiration to those who can fight. Another gift was sent to the Board of Missions to help just a little with its big work. As loyal members of the Church, we wish you to give to its officers something to spend as they think best. Then five dollars have been put into the savings Bank, that when our United Offering is made we will have a little interest to add to our gift, and then your officers have kept $5.55 to pay for printing, express and postage. Two dollars and a half we add to the United Work of the Babies—a part going to Miss Carter for her work among the Indian babies in Utah, a part to the Little Helpers' Day School in Shanghai, a part to the Little Helpers' Cot in St. Agnes' Hospital at St. Augustine's School; a part to Bishop Partridge, of Kyoto, and a part to Bishop VanBuren, in Porto Rico. This includes all the contents of the boxes, but we have a band of little workers in St. Peter's Sunday School, Charlotte, who have birthdays every year, and give a birthday offering for a little sick child in Shanghai, where Miss Henderson carries on her hospital work. These pennies, with a few gifts from older friends, make five dollars. Besides this offering, this class helped to dress a Mission

Christmas Tree, their gifts being equal to about eight dollars. My dear baby helpers, you cannot realize the privilege that has been yours, in helping to "preach the Gospel to every creature." Your gifts, sent with baby prayers and God's great love, have gone North, South, East and West to accomplish His work and hasten His Kingdom.

But this record intended only for the babies of the Convocation of Charlotte, shows only a small part of the work of the Babies' Branch in North Carolina. The Convocation of Raleigh, with its larger membership and larger offerings swells the gifts to $218.20.

The tables show just what each parish has given. The little ones of the Diocese have done a big work and we humbly and lovingly offer it to Him who accepted the loaves and fishes from one little lad and fed a multitude.

Lovingly your friend,

A. T. SMITH,

MRS. W. J. SMITH, Director.

MRS. M. A. BLAND,

Secretary Babies' Branch, Convocation of Charlotte.

My Dear Little Baby Helpers:

I wonder if you know what a big work you are doing. I wonder if you know that the biggest work in the world is done by little babies. All the big trees and forests, all the flowers and fruits, all the grass on the mountains and in the valleys, all the fields of corn and cotton and wheat, every green thing that grows in the world was once a little baby seed. All the big oceans and all the great rivers were once little baby drops of water. The great big mountains that seem to reach the sky are little baby grains of sand piled up on each other. Every big thing in God's universe grows from little baby things. And the biggest thing in this great big world is a little baby boy or girl.

Dear little baby workers, what a big work you are doing! Your pennies—little baby messengers of love—are going flying all over the world. Away up to the frozen regions of the North; away down to the tropical heat of the Equator; away across the broad Pacific Ocean, half-way around the world, your messengers go flying with tokens of love—one thousand to the cunning little babies of Alaska living in snow houses and clothed in the skins of wild animals; five thousand five hundred to our own dear little orphan babies in Charlotte, babies without papas or mammas; and three thousand one hundred baby kisses to the dear old clergymen who married our papas and mammas, baptized us babies, and gave their own lives to the labors of God. They are now become as little babies, and your sweet help is one of their most precious rewards.

Dear little Baby Helpers, work on! As the baby seed, the baby drops of water, the baby grains of sand are building up forests, oceans, mountains, so the world of humanity is built up, filled with love and fitted for its eternal home in heaven by little baby workers. Should God call you to Him, your baby pennies will be working and doing good on earth, while you, in heaven, are working and singing in the presence of God.

Your loving friend,

Alice Winston Spruill.

Secretary Babie's Branch Convocation of Raleigh.

	Charlotte	Raleigh	Diocese
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, Japan for Bishop Atkinson, Cot	16 00	20 00	36 00
Valle Crucis	10 00	10 00	20 00
St. Augustine's Kindergarten, Raleigh	2 00	.....	2 00
Bishop Rowe, Alaska	.....	10 00	10 00
Thompson Orphanage	18 00	55 00	73 00
Clergymen's Retiring Fund	7 00	31 00	38 00
United Offering	5 0	.....	5 00
United Work of Babies' Branch	3 00	8 00	11 00
Apportionment	2 00	86	2 86
Bishop McKim, Tokyo	.....	5 00	5 00
Deaconess Henderson's Hospital Work, Shanghai	5 00	.....	5 00
Central Fund	5 55	4 79	10 34
	$73 55	$144 65	$218 20

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

PARISH	SECRETARY	Mem.	Amt.
Bristow	Mrs. E. M. McCoy	1	52
Burlington	Mrs. F. L. Williamson	7	2 76
Charlotte	Miss Emma Hall	43	28 07
Cooleme	Miss Mary F. Hudson	2	50
Dilworth	Mrs. E. W. Mooring	7	78
Greensboro	Mrs. W. E. Schenck	6	2 19
Greensboro	Mrs. W. H. Wetmore	6	2 90
Leaksville	Mrs. W. S. Martin	6	2 71
Madison	Miss Pearl Pratt	1	26
Mayodan	Mrs. W. C. Ruffin	5	1 72
Milton (Memorial)	Mrs. Lewis Walker	1	2 00
Mocksville	Mrs. Adolphus Griffin	1	25
Monroe	Miss Kate Fairley	11	1 97
Salisbury	Miss May Boyden	25	15 85
Statesville	Mrs. D. M. Furches	5	48
Wadesboro	Mrs. R. E. Little	3	2 00
Winston	Mrs. H. A. Crute	7	3 59
Special from St. Peter's Infant Class, Charlotte	.....	.....	5 00
		137	$73 55
Special from St. Peter's Infant Class, for Christmas tree, about	.....	.....	$ 8 00

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

PARISH	SECRETARY	Mem.	Amt.
Battleboro	Mrs. H. B. Marriott	4	2 26
Chapel Hill	Mrs. W. D. Toy	5	3 67
Durham	Miss T. E. Herndon	23	6 00
Coakley	Miss Bessie Jones	6	3 20
Enfield	Miss Mabel Curtis	8	4 59
Henderson	Miss Sue Robards	12	5 83
Hillsboro	Mrs. Paxon Waters	9	7 00
Kittrell	Mrs. Thomas Crudup	1	52
Lawrence	Mrs. A. D. Knight	3	1 44
Littleton	Mrs. P. A. Spruill	5	2 49
Louisburg, St. Paul's	Mrs. F. S. Spruill	21	16 74
Louisburg, St. Matthew's	Mrs. William Perry	6	60
Middleburg	Mrs. H. M. Church	5	2 60
Oxford	Miss Maud Parham	12	6 18
Pittsboro	Mrs. C. L. London	8	10 00
Raleigh, Christ	Miss Mary P. Ashe	33	10 20
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	Miss Pattie L. Carroll	30	13 95
Raleigh, St. Augustine	Mrs. Chas. Boyer	4	1 50
Ridgeway	Mrs. J. D. Scott	3	1 50
Rocky Mount	Mrs. G. L. Wimberley	17	12 00
Sanford	Mrs. B. C. Pearce	1	24
Scotland Neck	Miss Mary W. Smith	10	4 86
Southern Pines	Mrs. A. H. Root	5	5 00
Stovall	Mrs. C. L. Lewis	2	1 02
Selma	Mrs. Robert Ashworth	2	2 00
Tarborough	Mrs. S. V. King	29	15 72
Wilson	Miss Elizabeth Hargrave	7	3 54
		271	144 65

Apportionment 1905-1906.

Woman's Aux.	$350.
Juniors'	60.
Babies	10.
	$420

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NOONDAY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS.

Blessed Saviour, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth Thy loving arms; grant that all mankind may look unto Thee and be saved: through Thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost ever, one God, world without end, Amen.

O Lord, Jesus Christ, who in the days of Thy Flesh didst accept the services of faithful women who ministered unto Thee of their substance; be pleased, we humbly ask to bless our endeavors to aid and encourage missionaries. Put into our hearts the things we should do and say to promote Thy glory. Grant that we may never be discouraged under difficulties, but go forward in faith and hope, looking unto Thee. Hear us, and answer this our prayer, for Thine own Name's sake. Amen,

O God, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and dist send Thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off, and to them that are nigh; grant that all men every where may seek after Thee and find Thee. Bring the nations into Thy fold and add the heathen to Thine inheritance. And we pray Thee shortly to accomplish the number of Thine elect and to hasten Thy kingdom, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

INTERCESSORY DAYS.

The eve of the feasts of:

St. Andrew—Diocesan Missions. At the disposal of Bishop Cheshire.

The Epiphany—Foreign. As designated by the Branch.

The Annunciation—Domestic. At the disposal of the Bishop of Asheville, unless otherwise designated.

The Transfiguration—Thompson Orphanage.

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CONSTITUTION AND BY LAWS.

ART. I. The name of this society shall be The North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

ART. II. The object of this society is threefold—viz: Prayer for Missions, Study of Missions and Work for Missions.

ART. III. The officers of this society shall be as follows, a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, four Convocational Secretaries; two Secretaries and Treasurers for the Juniors and two for the Babies' Branch; Secretaries for the United Offering, and C. P. C.

ART. IV. All the women of the Church are, by baptism, entitled to be members of the Woman's Auxiliary, and this active membership shall be recognized by annual contributions to the Central Fund.

ART. V. There shall be an annual Meeting of this society; time and place to be decided by the executive board.

ART. VI. The Diocesan officers constitute the executive board and, under the Bishop, direct the work of this Branch of the Auxiliary.

ART. VII. This Constitution may be altered by a two-thirds vote of any Annual Meeting.

BY LAWS.

1. It shall be the duty of the President to call meetings, preside over them, and have general oversight of the whole work.
2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to act in the absence of the President.
3. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to conduct the correspondence of the society; to prepare for the Bishop and the Diocesan Convention an Annual Report of the work of the Auxiliary and to have printed for circulation a report of the work and of the Annual Meeting.
4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all moneys and disburse the same.
5. It shall be the duty of the Convocational Secretaries to keep in touch with the existing branches and to form new ones.
6. It shall be the duty of the Secretaries and Treasurers of the Junior Auxiliary and of the Babies' Branch to have the oversight of the work in their Branch; to receive all moneys and pay out the same by May 1st; and to send an annual report to the Secretary.
7. It shall be the duty of the Secretary for the United Offering to arouse interest in the fund by correspondence and the circulation of literature.
8. All moneys shall be paid quarterly to the Treasurer; the last payments to be made not later than the first day of May.

REPORT

of the Diocesan Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Bishop at the Convention held in Henderson.—June 15th, 1906.

Rt. Rev. Father in God:—

Since our Annual Report was made at the last Convention several changes have taken place in our Diocesan Branch. Mrs. John Wilkes, the honored President of former years has been appointed permanent President; and Miss Mattie Bailey, Vice-President. The old title of Convocational Secretary has been revived; Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Winston holding the office in the Convocation of Raleigh, and Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Van Landingham in the Convocation of Charlotte. The same change has also taken place in the Junior Branches; Mrs. Rawlings being Secretary of the Juniors in the Convocation of Raleigh, and Mrs. Bland in the Convocation of Charlotte; Mrs. Spruill Secretary of the Babies' Branch in the Convocation of Raleigh and Mrs. Walter Smith in the Convocation of Charlotte.

You have thought it best that the Colored Work be a separate organization with its own Officers. By this change we have lost, not only in numbers, but by the help given heretofore by Mrs. Hunter of St. Augustine's; one of our Diocesan Officers. We have NOT lost our interest in the work, however; and trust that this change may greatly increase the strength and usefulness of the Colored Branch in our Diocese.

Notwithstanding the loss, our old branches have grown steadily, and three new branches have been added. The Secretary has spent some time during the year visiting the branches in the two Convocations; and several of these which made no reports last year were found to be in good working order. In nearly every branch there has been some encouragement; and in many a noted increase in numbers, gifts and interests.

We have endeavored, especially, to emphasize this year the needs of our own diocese; and the arduous work our Bishop and Missionaries are doing with comparatively little help from appropriations and less from our own people. We believe that this help will come when we realize the great work already done, and the greater work waiting to be done. A deep interest has already been manifested, as shown in an increase of gifts: in money to the Bishop, in specials to some of our diocesan Missionaries, and in Church furniture and boxes sent to the missionary fields.

The interest of the various branches in the study of Missions has been great, and the observance of the days of prayer for Missions almost universal.

The outlook is hopeful and our progress has been steady; and yet, so long as there lies work around us waiting to be done, we can not be satisfied. It is rather a note of DISSATISFACTION we

would strike. If our neighbor—at home or abroad—is in need of us—our duty is not done until we help him. And every one of us can help him. Some of us by going to him in person, more of us by our gifts to him; and all of us by our prayers for him.

We may ask the question, Am I my brother's keeper?—and the answer may come back from the Master:—Ye shall not see My face except YOUR BROTHER be with you

REPORT OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Central Fund	$ 62.42		
United Offering	384.25	Number of Branches	50
Diocesan Missions	227.52		
Domestic Missions	744.08	Number of Members	919
Foreign Missions	202.01		
Apportionment	149.75	Increase in Numbers	72
Church Periodical Club	34.53		
Clergy Retiring Fund	139.90	Increase in Gifts	$440.39
Specials	559.22		
Collected at Annual Meeting	55.79	Intercessory Days observed by 31 branches	
Collected at Con. of Charlotte	6.00		
Value of Missionary boxes	928.69	Mission Study Class 23 branches	
Total,	$3494.16		

REPORT OF JUNIOR BRANCH.

Central Fund	$ 15.91		
United Offering	35.49		
Diocesan Missions	104.97		
Domestic Missions	241.06		
Foreign Missions	65.96	Number of Branches	33
Apportionment	18 19		
Clergy Retiring Fund	1.00		
Specials	6.00	Number of Members	713
	$488.58		
Value of Missionary Boxes	149.01		
Total	$637.59		

REPORT OF BABIES' BRANCH.

Central Fund	$16.00		
Bishop Atkison Cot.	36.00		
Bishop Horner Memorial Cot.	8.00		
Valle Crucis	15.00		
St. Augustine's	2 49		
Thompson Orphanage	65.76		
Clergy Retiring Fund	31 75	Number of Branches	40
United Offering	7.00		
Uuited Work of Babies'	3.00		
Apportionment	5.64	Number of Members	370
Deaconess Henderson	5.00		
Alaska	10.00		
Japan	5.00		
General Missions	10.00		
Total	$220.64		

Number of Members in Woman's Auxiliary, Junior and Babies' Branches 2002.

Whole Amount of Offering - - - - - - $4352.39

Branches visited from May 1st, 1905, to May 1st, 1906, by

DIOCESAN SECRETARY.

The Woman's Auxiliaries of Tarborough; Lawrence; St. Mary's, Edgecombe; Christ Church, Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Mary's and St. Savior's, Raleigh; St. Andrew's and St. Barnabas', Greensboro; Madison; Stoneville; Mayodan; Walnut Cove; Leaksville; High Point; Hillsboro; St. Peter's, Charlotte; Dilworth; Concord; Winston.

The Junior Auxiliaries of Tarborough; Christ Church, Church of the Good Shepherd; St. Mary's and St. Savior's, Raleigh; St. Andrew's, Greensborough; St. Peter's, Charlotte; Dilworth; Winston.

Respectfully submitted,

KATE CHESHIRE,

Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

	Diocesan—Bishop Cheshire's disposal	$236.62
DOMESTIC.	Thompson Orphanage	303.21
	St. Paul's School, Beaufort	64.00
	Bishop Horner's Disposal	160.47
	Bishop Grey for Southern Florida	31.98
	St. Augustine's School, St. Agnes Hospital	22.00
	Bishop Rowe's Companion	10.00
	Alaska	27.00
FOREIGN.	Miss Babcock's Salary—Japan	57.75
	Bishop Cheshire Scholarship—Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	48.00
	Lindsay Patton Scholarship—Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	29.75
	Bishop Ingle Memorial—Boone School, China	31.25
	Foreign Missions	43.65
	Apportionment—(General Missions)	196.43
	Church Periodical Club	32.73
	Clergy Retiring Fund Society	106.40
	Specials	255.64
	Collection of Woman's Auxiliary Meeting at Convocation of Charlotte, St. Andrew's, Greensboro for Rev. Alfred Berkeley's Work	6.00
		$1662.88

CENTRAL FUND.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Balance 1905	$69.04	Miss Cheshire for Printing	$36.00
Woman's Auxiliary	77.82	Miss Cheshire for Postage	7.00
Total	146.86	Miss Cameron for Postage	2.00
	48.16	Mrs. Blair for Postage	3.16
Balance 1906	$98.70		$48.16

UNITED OFFERING.

1904-1905	$42.57
Collection at Annual Meeting, "Thank Offering" That Miss Hicks had gone as a Missionary from this Diocese	42.14
Woman's Auxiliary 1905-1906	414.14
Interest on Amount	7.92
Total	$506.77

SENT DIRECT OF WHICH I WAS NOTIFIED.

Clergy Retiring Fund Society	$25.00
Church Periodical Club	1.80
Thompson Orphanage	33.00
Rev. Alfred Berkeley	81.80
Total	$141.60

SENT DIRECT AND NO NOTICE.

Church near Madison	$10.00
Bell for Mission in Mountains	16.00
Church Extention in Rowan County	72.75
C. R. F. S.	12.00
Thompson Orphanage	79.45
"Special" (not given)	55.25
Raleigh Convocational Missions	25.00
Total	$270.45
	141.60
Grand Total	$412.05

SPECIALS.

Book for Boone School Wuchang China -	$ 9.10
Rev. James Senior for Church-building, Harvard, Neb.	1.65
St. Luke's Hospital, Shanghai, China - -	2.50
St. James Mission, Iredell County, N. C. - -	5.00
Emily Farish Holt Scholarship, Shanghia - -	50.00
Laura Lemly Scholarship, Balsam, N. C. - -	10.00
Rev. J. L. Martin for Furnace in Rockingham Church	5.00
St. Saviour's Chapel, Raleigh, N. C. -	5.00
Domestic Missions - - - -	25.00
Archdeacon Stuck—Alaska - - -	3.50
Rev. A. Sherman's Work, China - .	5.00
Japanese Famine Sufferers - - -	5.00
Archdeacon Osborne's Work, Con. of Charlotte -	2.50
Convocational Missions, Raleigh - -	7.87
Hospital in Philippines where Miss Hicks is -	2.50
Hospital in Alaska where Miss Johnston is - -	1.00
Diocesan Contingent Fund - - - -	5.00
Ascension Coolemee Plantation - - -	2.00
China - - - - -	1.00
Rev. Francis Joyner's Work at Roanoke Rapids -	75.57
Bishop Rowe's Disposal Alaska - -	8.00
Grace Mission Lawrence - - -	.25
Bishop Van Buren's for Hospital at Porto Rico -	9.00
Rev. Alfred Berkeley's Work at Mayodan -	13.20
Bishop Tuttle Memorial - - - -	2.00
	$256.64

ADELINE CLEVELAND BLAIR,
Treasurer

MINUTES OF OFFICERS' MEETING, JUNE 14th, 1906.

There was a Preliminary Meeting of the Diocesan Officers of the Woman's Auxiliary held this afternoon at four o'clock in the parish rooms.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Wilkes.

The ladies present were:—Mesdames Wilkes, Blair, Rawlings, Spruill, Orr, Misses Cheshire and Smith and Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Parker and Miss Butler from Holy Innocents, Henderson.

Mrs. Wilkes told the ladies of the resignation of Mrs. Van Landingham and it was suggested that her resignation not be accepted.

Mrs. Smith suggested that the Bishop be requested to have the report of the Auxiliary to the Convention read hereafter immediately after morning prayer at 9:30.

Then followed an interesting discussion of the mission work of the Auxiliary.

Miss Cheshire read the programme for Friday and after some changes were made in it, sent a notice of the day's work to the Bishop to be read at the night service.

Miss Cheshire said that she thought it would be a good plan next year if the Auxiliary ask for one whole day for the Silver Jubilee.

She then urged all that possibly could be present at the celebration of the Holy Communion on Friday morning to do so.

We then adjourned.

AMY E. BUTLER, Secretary, pro tem.
Holy Innocents Branch, Henderson, N. C.

MINUTES OF AUXILIARY MEETING.

The twenty-fourth annual meeting of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary convened in Henderson, June 14th and 15th 1906.

The Diocesan Officers met for consultation Thursday afternoon at four o'clock in the parish house.

There was a celebration of the Holy Communion by the Bishop at 7:00 o'clock Friday a. m., in the church of the Holy Innocents.

At 9:30 a. m., morning prayer was said in the church by the Rev. E. A. Osborne, assisted by Dr. Wm. A. Meade and at 10:00 o'clock the officers and delegates together with a goodly number of the members of the local branch assembled in the Parish House for the opening meeting. The Bishop's address was full of encouragement for the women; as he said he would only ask for the future that we go forward as we had done in the past.

All were delighted to welcome the new President, Mrs. Wilkes, so long an officer in the ranks of the Auxiliary.

Roll was called by the Diocesan Secretary and was responded to as follows:

OFFICERS:

Mrs. John Wilkes, President.
Miss Kate Cheshire, Secretary.
Mrs. Dorian Blair, Treasurer.
Miss A. E. Smith, Secretary United Offering.
Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Rawlings, Mrs. Spruill, Secretaries Convocation of Raleigh and Charlottee.

BRANCHES:

Enfield, Miss Parker, Mrs. Harrison.
Lawrence, Miss Cheshire.
Scotland Neck, Miss Smith, Mrs. Bond.
Tarborough, Mrs. Bridgers, Mrs. Pender.
Weldon, Mrs. Gooch, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Burgwyn, Mrs. Clark.
Wilson, Mrs. Hales, Mrs. Rawlings.
Durham, Mrs. Wall, Mrs. McGary.
Henderson, Mrs. Pendleton, Miss Hunter, Mrs. Daniel, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Chevasse, Miss Shannon, Mrs. Faucette, Miss Chevasse, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Landis, Miss Butler, Miss Rebecca Butler, Miss Smith, Miss Lamb, Mrs. Swain, Miss Perry, Mrs. Buchanan, Miss Roberts, Miss Hines, Mrs. NcNair, Mrs. Harper, Miss Willie Buchanan, Mrs. Parker, Miss Hunter, Miss O'Neal, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Miller, Miss Blacknall, Mrs. Ingle, Miss Tucker.
Oxford, Mrs. Horner, Miss Horner, Mrs. Cooper, Miss Hilliard, Mrs. De LaCroix, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Rawlins.
Littleton, Miss Capehart, Mrs. Moore, Miss Moore, Miss Carrie Helen Moore.
Middleburg, Miss Carroll, Miss Carrie Carroll.
Raleigh, Christ Church, Mrs. Busbee, Mrs. Lee.
Raleigh, Good Shepherd, Mrs. Cheshire, Mrs. West, Mrs. Wills.
Raleigh, St. Mary's, Miss McKimmon.
Raleigh, St. Saviour's, Miss Karrer.
Ridgeway, Miss Collins.
Southern Pines, Mrs. Locey.
Louisburg, Mrs. London, Miss London, Mrs. Spruill, Mrs. Clifton.
Walnut Cove, Miss Hairston, Miss Adams.
Burlington, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Bradley.
Greensboro, St. Andrew's, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Ballard, Mrs. Anderson.
Charlotte, St. Peter's, Mrs. Wilkes, Mrs. Mallinckrodt, Miss Orr,
Charlotte, Dilworth, Mrs. Guthrie.
Wadesboro, Miss Shaw.

The address of welcome by Mrs. M. W. Parker was gracefully responded to by the President as follows:

Dear Friends and Fellow Members of the WOMAN'S AUXILIARY:

It is a great pleasure to meet with you once more, and to renew the loving companionship which we have had together for so many years.

In May 1882 the first meeting of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was held in Oxford; just a very small beginning, and we were all very ignorant about it. For 14 years the guidance of the work was in my hands as Diocesan Secretary under Bishop Lyman's appointment in 1881. But very little would have been accomplished if the church women of North Carolina had not held up my hands. Their enthusiam for missionary work, and the love and loyal support given to me, are among my much cherished recollections, have resulted in good to the causes of Missions, and to the women themselves. It has drawn us all together with united interest and sympathy, and I trust has made us better women and stronger workers.

Now after nine years a private, Bishop Cheshire has again placed me at the head of the Auxiliary in North Carolina, and I am very proud of the position, and of his selecting me to fill it. But I am only a figure head, for other cares and the weight of many years, prevent my attending as I would like, to these duties.

So we must all welcome Miss Cheshire our Diocesan Secretary, support her, help her, and love her, which is the best way to give strength snd courage for the work. It has grown in these 24 years. The diocese has been divided twice since the Auxiliary was established in North Carolina, and still the reported work increases year by year.

But we could do more. And so I suggest one thought. Are we, each in our own place, doing our VERY BEST for our Master's cause? Are not the meetings, the papers, the study, even the daily noonday prayer, often forgotten, and easily laid aside, for other duties and pleasures?

Let us remember that we must work while it is day, for the night cometh when work is done. And also that when we have done all that we can, we are still unprofitable servants, and only Christ's love and tender compassion can make our efforts durable in His sight.

I trust this meeting will show that we have improved in the past year, and that we will be invigorated and stimulated to greater exertion in the year to come by our association and conference.

JANE RENWICK WILKES,
President N. C. Diocesan Branch of Woman's Auxiliary.

The minutes of the officers meeting of the previous afternoon were read and approved.

The business of the morning was then taken up, beginning with the Treasurer's Report. This showed among other improve-

ments that the Auxiliary has raised a little more than the $300 asked for by the Bishop for Diocesan Missions and that the full apportionment had also been paid.

Miss Cheshire stated that the Bishop had ordered the books closed after May 1st so that all reports and money coming in after that date would go over to the next year's report. She also requested the Secretaries of the Junior Departments to close their books on the same day.

At eleven o'clock the Auxiliary went in a body to the Church to hear the report of the Diocesan Secretary read by Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt before the Bishop and Convention. This report showed a healthy growth; for notwithstanding the fact that the colored branches had become a separate organization, there was an increase of 72 members for the year; and the increase in gifts amounted to $440.39.

The Bishop next introduced Rev. Milton A. Barber, who delivered a most inspiring address to the Woman's Auxiliary on the subject of Diocesan Missions. His appeal to mothers to teach in their own homes that the highest life is the life of self sacrifice, and that the highest and best gift is the gift of self, was both eloquent and touching. He paid a high tribute to the work of Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley, at Mayodan, and to that of our loved Secretary Miss Cheshire, for her part in uplifting and brightening the dark lives of the mill people of that place.

By motion of Mr. Richard Battle the thanks of the Convention were extended to the Woman's Auxiliary for their excellent report and to Rev. Mr. Barber for his stirring address. This was given by a rising vote.

At 12:30 o'clock the Auxiliary returned to the Parish House to resume the hearing of reports of the Convocational Secretaries. Mrs W. H. S. Burgwyn was requested by the President to preside, which she did with her usual graciousness of manner. The reports were called for as follows:

Miss Addie E. Smith presented an interesting account of her work as Secretary United Offering.

In absence of Mrs. A. B. Andrews, Miss Cheshire read report of Apportinment, which showed that the Secretary had done her work so thoroughly that the women had become aroused to the importance of their duty in this respect; therefore as there was apparently nothing more to be done, she resigned the office of Secretary of Apportionment. The gifts for this purpose, exceeded the pledges.

The 17th annual report of the C. P. C. was read by Miss Cheshire in absence of Miss Rebecca Cameron, the efficient correspondent. There were expressions of pleasure at the recovery of Miss Cameron from a serious and protracted illness and at her ability to assume the duties of correspondent of the C. P. C.

Mrs. E. G. Rawlings Secretary Junior Auxiliary, Convocation of Raleigh then presented her report of the work of the Juniors.

Miss Cheshire read Mrs. Bland's report of the Juniors in the Convocation of Charlotte.

Mrs. Spruill's excellent report of the work of the Babies' Branch Raleigh Convocation was accepted with thanks.

Mrs. Harris Mallinckrodt read report of the Babies' Branch in absence of Mrs. Walter J. Smith the efficient Secretary of the Charlotte Convocation.

Conditions making it necessary to change portions of the Constitution and By-Laws, these changes were the first business of the afternoon session. Mrs. Wilkes and Miss Cheshire explained the matter and upon motion the changes were adopted.

By the courtesy of Rev. J. E. Ingle the report of the Clergy Retiring Fund Society made by him to the Convocation was read. The women were greatly interested in the large increase in this wonderfully beneficial society. Mrs. Blair announced that the Communion alms at the early service and the collection taken later for this worthy cause amounted to $17.57. After Mrs. Locy's expression of appreciation of the work etc. of the Treasurer, Miss Cheshire read a commendatory letter on the same subject from Miss Emery which upon motion of Miss Hilliard, was heartily endorsed.

Revision of the pledge list being the next business, Miss Cheshire explained the proposed new items which she would put on the new lists. These lists to be sent to the Parish Branches as soon as possible. Accompanying this would be a leaflet telling same thing of each object. A blank for the names of the officers of the Parish Branch would also be sent with the above, this last to be returned as soon as filled out to Miss Cheshire so she could embody it in the annual report. The plan was approved and the women promised co-operation.

By motion of Mrs. Wall it was resolved that expressions of gratitude be extended the women of Henderson for their gracious hospitatily.

Mrs. Bridgers, in a very cordial manner invited the Woman's Auxiliary to hold its next meeting in Tarboro. This the twenty-fifth aniversary of the organization of the Woman's Auxiliary in North Carolina is to be made the occasion of a Silver Jubilee.

By motion it was resolved to raise as large an amount as possible to be a memorial and as a thank offering on this interesting occasion,

A discussion then followed as to arrangements for this service, and on motion by Mrs. J. B. Cheshire, the following resolution was adopted. That the Diocesan officers of the Woman's Auxiliary confer with the Bishop and Secretary, and make such arrangements for the service as may to them seem best.

Miss Esdale Shaw as a representative from the King's Daugh-

ters introduced the following motion. That the Woman's Auxiliary of North Carolina endorse the actions of the King's Daughters in their efforts to procure a Reformatory which is to be known as The North Carolina Training School for Boys, and that each delegate place the matter before her parish branch, requesting all who wish to do so, to send a contribution of $1.00 to Mrs. Burgwyn, Weldon, in furtherance of this project.

An interesting letter was read from Mrs. Winston urging the Woman's Auxiliary to continue their sympathy and their aid to the Clergy Retiring Fund Society. She also spoke of her interest in church work at Chapel Hill; and Rev. Francis Osborne, Chairman of the Committee to confer with the Rector and Vestry of Chapel Hill on this subject, told of what had been done by the Committee during the past year. The Auxiliary promised its sympathy and co-operation in any additional work undertaken to bring the church and her teachings before the young men at our State University.

The time having been taken up only a few reports from the Parishes could be heard. Mrs. Guthrie gave an interesting account of the work of the Mission at Dilworth. Miss Cheshire reported for St. Saviour's Chapel, Raleigh and Church of the Advent, Enfield. She also reported two new branches organized by her during the year; one at Walnut Cove and another at Mayodan.

Mrs. Blair made a few remarks, as an object lesson, concerning the methods of carrying on mission study in her parish. Miss Orr read and answered questions from Miss Emery.

Then followed a fine address by the Rev. Francis M. Osborne on the subject of Diocesan Missions. He told enthusiastically of his work among the mill people around Charlotte. He spoke of the work at Dilworth as an ideal Mission, and paid a beautiful tribute of respect to the memory of Bishop Atkinson; expressing the hope that they may soon complete a handsome church at Dilworth as a memorial to this venerable man and great Bishop.

Rev. Mr. Ancell, a missionary from China was the next speaker. He told of his labors at Soochow Mission China This mission having been paid for entirely by the Woman's Auxiliary special interest in it is felt by the women. He told a pathetic story of how a vicious little slave boy was cured of the common vice of untruthfulness by Christian training. His portrayal of Chinese life and customs proved quite interesting and instructive.

In an eloquent address, Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley, who is always gladly heard, told of his work and his needs at Mayodan; giving the humorous as well as the pathetic side of life among these mill people, whose very existence is made up of destitution, sorrow and ignorance. The chief hopes are in the children, and to these his best efforts are desired.

After a few concluding remarks, a hymn was sung and the benediction pronounced. Thus closed a most delightfully profit-

able meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, adjourned to meet in Tarboro, 1907. A profound interest pervaded the entire session, and Henderson is happy to have had the influence of such a body.

Respectfully Submitted,

TEMPERANCE BURWELL PARKER,

Recording Sec. Pro tem.

THE INTERCESSORY DAYS WERE OBSERVED BY THE FOLLOWING BRANCHES:

St. Matthew's, Hillsboro; All Saints, Concord; St. Bartholomew's, Pittsboro; St. Paul's, Louisburg; Calvary, Wadesboro; St. Paul's, Winston; Epiphany, Leaksville; Calvary, Tarborough; Church of the Advent, Enfield; Christ Church, Raleigh; Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh; Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill; Church of the Holy Comforter, Dilworth; St. Timothy's, Wilson; Grace Chapel, Lawrence; Church of the Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount; St. Mark's, Halifax; Church of the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway; Emmanuel, Southern Pines; Holy Innocents, Henderson; St. John's, Madison; St. Andrew's, Greensboro; Christ Church, Walnut Cove; St. Mary's, Edgecombe; St. Stephen's, Oxford; St. Alban's, Littleton; St. Paul's, Monroe; Grace Church, Weldon; Trinity, Scotland Neck; St. Philip's, Durham; St. Peter's, Charlotte.

MISSION STUDY BY THE FOLLOWING BRANCHES:

St. Timothy's, Wilson; Church of the Holy Comforter, Dilworth; Grace Church, Lexington; Christ Church, Raleigh; Calvary, Tarborough; Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh; Church of the Advent, Enfield; Epiphany, Leaksville; Calvary, Wadesboro; St. Bartholomew, Pittsboro; St. Matthew's, Hillsboro; Church of the Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount; St. Luke's, Salisbury; Church of the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway; Emmanuel, Southern Pines; St. John's, Madison; St. Andrew's, Greensboro; St. Mary's, Edgecombe; St. Stephen's, Oxford, Trinity, Scotland Neck; St. Athanasius, Burlington; St. Philip's, Durham; St. Peter's, Charlotte.

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES AND OFFICERS.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE.

Battleboro—St. John's
Mrs. H. B. Marriott, President; Miss Mary Philips, Secretary and Treasurer.

Enfield—Church of the Advent
Mrs. Frank Pippen, President; Miss Sallie Parker, Secretary and Treasurer.

Edgecombe—St. Mary's Chapel
Mrs. O. House, President; Miss Bessie Jones, Secretary; Miss Arabel Nash, Treasurer.

Halifax—St. Mark's
Mrs. T. W. Fenner, President; Mrs. George Gilliam Secretary and Treasurer.

Jackson—Church of the Savior
Mrs. W. T. Picard, President; Miss S. E. Peebles, V. President; Miss L. H. Whitfield Secretary and Treasurer.

Lawrence—Grace Chapel
Mrs. A. D. Knight, President; Mrs. Williams, Vice-President; Miss J. Besson, Secretary and Treasurer.

Roanoke Rapids—
Mrs. H. C. Cooper, President; Mrs. J. L. Patterson, Secretary and Treasurer.

Rocky Mount—Good Shepherd
Mrs. B. H. Bunn, President; Mrs. M. M. Chalk, Secretary and Treasurer.

Scotland Neck—Trinity
Miss A. E. Smith, President; Mrs. I. H. Smith, Vice-President; Mrs. A. L. Purrington, Secretary and Treasurer.

Tarborough—Calvary
Mrs. Charles Parks, President; Miss A. C. Parker, Secretary; Mrs. Farrar Treasurer.

Thelma—
Miss Ida Pugh, Secretary and Treasurer.

Weldon—Grace
Mrs. Eva Davis, President; Mrs. T. C. Harrison, Vice-President; Mrs. E. G. Taylor, Secretary; Mrs. C. L. Clark, Treasurer.

Wilson—St. Timothy's
Mrs. H. G. Connor, President; Mrs. J. C. Hales, Vice-President; Mrs. Minnie H. Murray, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE.

Chapel Hill—Chapel of the Cross
Mrs. J. C. McRae, President; Mrs. F. P. Venable, Secretary and Treasurer.

Durham—St. Philip's
Mrs. R. W. Winston, President; Mrs. Saunders, Vice-President; Mrs. Wm. A. Graham, Secretary and Treasurer.

Henderson—Holy Innocents
Rev. J. E. Ingle, President; Mrs. J. I. Miller, Vice-President; Miss. Arny E. Butler, Secretary Mrs. E. G. Landis, Treasurer.

Hillsboro—St. Matthew's
Miss Henrietta Collins, President; Mrs. Wm. Hayes, Vice President; Miss Rebecca Cameron, Secretary; Miss Lily Hamilton, Treasurer.

Oxford—St. Stephen's
Mrs. N. M. Ferebee, President; Miss M. E. Horner, Vice-President; Miss M. B. Hilliard, Secretary; Mrs. Louis DeLaCroix, Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF WAKE.

Littleton—St. Alban's
Mrs. Peter Spruill, President; Mrs. Joyner, Vice-President; Miss Lucy Capehart, Secretary and Treasurer.

Louisburg—St. Paul's
Mrs. John London, President; Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Secretary; Mrs. Wm. H. Ruffin, Treasurer.

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Mrs. Herbert Church, President; Mrs. Fannie A. Carrol, Secretary; Miss Kate Plummer, Treasurer.

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Mrs. I. McK. Pittenger; President; Miss Mattie H. Bailey, Vice-President; Mrs. Jas. E. Shepherd, Secretary; Mrs. J. B. Cheshire, Treasurer.

Raleigh—St. Mary's
Miss Lola Walton, President; Miss Juliet Sutton, Vice-President; Miss Kate McKimmon, Secretary

Raleigh—St. Savior
Mrs. Wm. Saunders, President; Mrs. Adams, Vice-President; Mrs. Charles Jones, Secretary; Miss Emma Karrer, Treasurer.

Ridgeway—Good Shepherd
Miss Lucy Edwards, Secretary and Treasurer.

Southern Pines—Emmanuel
Mrs. G. H. Locey, President; Miss Anna Jenks, Secretary; Mrs. C. T. Patch, Treasurer.

Warrenton—Emmanuel
Mrs. Wm. J. White, President; Mrs. H. L. Falkener, Secretary; Miss Nannie White, Treasurer.

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD.

Germanton—
Miss Mollie Hill, Secretary and Treasurer.

Winston—St. Paul's
Mrs. J. C. Buxton, President; Mrs. Pride Jones, Vice-President; Mrs. Clement Manly, Secretary and Treasurer.

Burlington—St. Athanasius
Mrs. Finley Williamson, President; Mrs. Erwin Holt, Secretary and Treasurer.

Greensboro—St. Andrew's
Mrs. Dorian Blair, President; Mrs. N. A. Stedman, Vice-President; Mrs. Joseph Dean, Secretary; Mrs. Maria Pope, Treasurer.

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Mrs. D. A. Staples, President; Mrs. Chas. M. Stedman, Vice-President; Mrs. J. L. Caldwell, Secretary; Mrs. E. J. Justice, Treasurer.

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Leaksville—Epiphany
Mrs. T. R. Sharp, President; Mrs. W. S. Martin, Secretary and Treasurer.

Madison—St. John's
Mrs. J. M. Gallaway, President; Mrs. John Roach, Secretary; Miss Mildred Cunningham, Treasurer.

Mayodan—Church of the Messiah
Mrs. Wm. C. Ruffin, President; Mrs. John Ault, Secretary and Treasurer.

Stoneville—Emmanual
Miss Annie L. Smith, President; Miss L. M. Stephens, Secretary.

Walnut Cove—Christ Church
Mrs. Foucht, President; Mrs. Blackburn, Vice-President; Miss Maggie Adams, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG.

Bristow—St. Mark's
Miss Esther W. McCoy, Secretary and Treasurer.

Charlotte—St. Peter's
Mrs. Harris Mallinckrodt, President; Mrs. W. R. Taliaferro, Vice-President; Mrs. Walter J. Smith, Secretary; Mrs. R. J. Brevard, Treasurer.

Dilworth—Holy Comforter
Mrs. Ed Smith, President; Mrs. Guthrie, Vice-President; Miss Lora Stokes, Secretary and Treasurer.

Monroe—St. Pauls.
Mrs. J. M. Fairley, President; Mrs. G. W. Redfern, Vice-President; Mrs. M. E. McCauley, Secretary and Treasurer.

Wadesboro—Calvary
Mrs. W. P. Parsons, President; Mrs. R. E. Little, Vice-President; Mrs. T. A. Marshall, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF ROWAN.

Advance—Ascension Missions
Mrs. F. C. Hairston, President; Miss Ruth Hairston, Secretary; Miss Agnes Hairston, Treasurer.

Concord—All Saints
Mrs. R. E. Gibson, President; Mrs. M. L. Brown, Vice-President; Mrs. James Gibson, Secretary; Mrs. Gowan Dusenbury, Treasurer.

Coolemee—Good Shepherd

Lexington—Grace
Mrs. G. W. Montcastle, President; Mrs. Joel Hill, Secretary.

Salisbury—
Mrs. F. J. Murdock, President; Mrs. Isenhour, Vice-president; Mrs. Mary O. Linton, Secretary; Miss Mary Evans, Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE

				Diocesan	Domestic						FOREIGN Japan			China									
	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	Thompson Orphanage	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	Alaska	Beaufort	Miss Babcocks Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Lindsay Patton Scholarship.	Bishop Ingle Memorial	Apportionment.	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund Society	Specials	Total	Boxes	Value	Total
Battleboro	6	$	1 2 00	$ 1 00	$ 1 50	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 4 50	1	$ □ 20 00	$ 24 50
Enfield	10	1 00	8 00												3 00			21 20	33 20			33 20
St. Mary's, Edgecombe	5		2 00	2 00	50	1 00									1 00				6 50	1	8 50	15 00
Halifax	4	40	50	1 75		1 00					1 00							2 00	6 65			6 65
Jackson	16	80	13 15		5 00	3 00					2 00				3 90			6 50	34 35			34 35
Lawrence	24	1 00	4 10	1 25	3 53	1 35						1 65			1 50		1 15	2 85	18 38	2	30 00	48 38
Roanoke Rapids	6	50		1 00								25					25		2 00			2 00
Rocky Mount	27		8 00	5 00	5 00	2 50	2 50		2 50		5 00	5 00	2 50		5 00		5 00		48 00			48 00
Scotland Neck	30	3 00	8 35	3 55	16 50	2 85	1 00	1 00	1 00		1 00	1 00	56	1 00	1 20	2 18	1 00	56 62	101 81	1	55 88	157 69
Tarborough	48	4 80	27 68	20 51	17 14	10 13	3 00		2 00		8 00	5 00	2 00	2 80	16 00		12 00	9 90	140 96	2	38 00	178 96
Weldon	21		5 20	5 15	17 00				2 00			1 00			2 00		2 00	14 50	48 85	1	30 00	78 85
Wilson	22	1 45	14 00	7 40	23 00	8 75			2 50				2 50	1 50	2 50		2 50		66 10	1	25 00	91 10
Total	219	$12 95	$ 92 98	$48 61	$ 89 17	$30 58	$ 6 50	$ 1 00	$10 00		$17 00	$13 90	$ 7 56	$ 5 30	$36 10	$ 2 18	$23 90	$ 113 57	$ 511 30	9	$ 207 38	$ 718 68

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE

Chapel Hill	15	$ 1 50	$ 5 83	$ 4 00	$ 7 00	$ 2 00	$	$	$ 3 50	$10 00	$ 50	$	$	$	$ 1 50	$	$ 6 00	$ 5 00	$ 46 83		$	$ 46 83
Durham	37		64 05	15 00	37 25	30 00	1 23					5 00		5 00	5 00	2 00	12 00		176 53	1	20 70	197 23
Henderson	76	6 85	15 11	5 00	40 91	5 00	5 00	5 00	2 00	20 00	5 00		5 00	5 00	5 00	1 00	12 00	30 48	168 35	1	25 00	193 35
Hillsboro	23	2 30	22 10	10 00	5 00	2 50	2 50	2 50	3 00	2 00	1 50	1 50	1 50	2 00	2 00	3 00	12 00	34 00	109 40	1	81 00	190 40
Oxford	20	2 20		10 00	10 00	39 50	2 50	2 50	1 00		2 50	2 50	1 50	1 00	20 00	1 50	12 00	7 50	116 20	2	79 40	195 60
Total	171	$12 85	$ 107 09	$44 00	$ 100 16	$79 00	$11 23	$10 00	$ 9 50	$32 00	$ 9 50	$ 9 00	$ 8 00	$13 00	$35 50	$ 7 50	$54 00	$ 76 98	$ 617 31	5	$ 206 10	$ 823 41

DISTRICT OF WAKE

Dunn		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
Pittsboro	10		3 05	1 30	33 65										1 00		3 00		42 00	3	75 00	117 00
Littleton	10	70	11 15	3 70	8 45										20 00	2 00		24 56	70 56			70 56
Middleburg	10		8 00	1 10															9 10	2	15 97	25 07
Raleigh, Christ Church	35	3 50	34 31	11 00		2 00			3 50	10 00	10 00	5 00	5 00			3 15	5 00	36 50	128 96	1	24 00	152 96
Raleigh, GoodShepherd	56	2 40	16 80	10 00	10 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	2 50	12 00	45 30	159 00	3	100 00	259 00
Raleigh, St. Mary's	12	1 20		4 10	10 00					10 00					1 30			16 80	43 40	1	8 00	51 40
Raleigh, St. Savior's	12	80			2 50													1 00	4 30			4 30
Ridgeway	7	60	4 25	3 55	1 00	1 00	50	25	1 25		50	50	50		50		2 00		16 40			16 40
Southern Pines	30	1 00	5 20	5 00	5 00	2 75	2 75	2 75	2 75		2 25	2 25	2 25	2 25				1 35	37 55	1	21 70	59 25
Warrenton	21		13 60		10 75										3 00			5 00	32 35	1	60 00	92 35
Louisburg	13	1 20	6 25	10 00	35 70			5 00			5 00				3 25		12 00	12 35	90 75			90 75
Total	216	$11 40	$ 102 61	$19 75	$ 117 05	$10 75	$ 8 25	$13 00	$12 50	$30 00	$22 75	$12 75	$12 75	$ 7 25	$39 05	$ 7 65	$34 00	$ 142 86	$ 634 37	12	$ 304 67	$ 939 04

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD.

				Diocesan	Domestic						FOREIGN: Japan			China										
	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	Thompson Orphanage	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	Alaska	Beaufort	Miss Babcocks Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Lindsay Patton Scholarship	Bishop Ingle Memorial	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund Society	Specials	Total	Boxes	Value	Total
Germanton	1	$	$	$	$ 6 50	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 6 50		$	$ 6 50
Winston	20	2 00	6 00	4 55	5 00	2 00		1 00	1 00		3 00				5 00		2 00	21 00	52 55	2	50 00	102 55
Walnut Cove	11			60	35														95			95
Burlington	19																	50 00	50 00	1	25 00	75 00
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	28	2 80	13 91	8 11	17 40	12 50	2 00		2 00	10 00	3 00			2 00	10 00	6 00	12 00	18 33	120 05	1	11 50	131 55
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	26	2 60	7 71	6 00	5 65	5 81	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	1 00	3 00	1 00	2 00				1 48	44 25			44 25
High Point	14	2 17			5 00													5 00	12 17	2	38 19	50 36
Leaksville	18	1 50	7 00	3 00	5 00	3 00			1 00		2 50			2 00	2 00	1 00		2 50	30 50	1	15 00	45 50
Madison	9	70	2 00	2 75										1 00	1 50			1 53	9 50			9 50
Mayodan	6	60		1 00	1 00														2 60			2 60
Stoneville	3	10	40	30	50							50			50	20			2 50			2 50
Total	155	$12 47	$ 37 02	$26 31	$ 46 40	$23 31	$ 4 00	$ 3 00	$ 6 00	$12 00	$ 9 50	$ 3 50	$ 1 00	$ 7 00	$19 00	$ 7 20	$11 00	$ 99 86	$ 331 57	7	$ 139 69	$ 471 26

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG

Bristow	15	$ 1 50	$	$ 25	$ 25	$ 4 00	$	$	$	$	$	$ 5 00	$	$ 3 00	$ 1 00	$	$	$	$ 15 00		$	$ 15 00
Charlotte, St. Peter's	61	4 75	25 00	25 00	1 65	5 00								26 75				26 70	114 85			114 85
Charlotte, Dilworth	12	1 20		5 35											2 00			16 00	24 55			24 55
Monroe	11			1 00															1 00	2	18 00	19 00
Wadesboro	14	1 40	6 00	8 00	10 00		2 00		1 00		1 00	1 00			5 00	10 00	2 00	10 00	57 40	2	52 85	110 25
Total	113	$ 8 85	$ 31 00	$39 60	$ 11 90	$ 9 00	$ 2 00	$	$ 1 00	$	$ 1 00	$ 6 00	$	$29 75	$ 8 00	$10 00	$ 2 00	$ 52 70	$ 212 80	4	$ 70 85	$ 283 65

DISTRICT OF ROWAN.

Advance Ascension	3	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$		$	$
Concord	14	1 10	8 55	2 25	25 00										2 00		12 00	50	51 40			51 40
Salisbury	20	2 00	5 00	10 00	27 28	2 50					3 00	2 50			5 00			72 75	130 03			130 03
Lexington	8	80		5 00											3 70				9 50			9 50
Coolemee, Good Shepherd				2 00											3 40				5 40			5 40
Total	45	$ 3 90	$ 13 55	$19 25	$ 52 28	$ 2 50	$	$	$	$	$ 3 00	$ 2 50	$	$	$14 10	$	$12 00	$ 73 25	$ 196 33		$	$ 196 33

SUMMARY.

				Diocesan	Domestic						FOREIGN												
											Japan			China									
	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	Thompson Orphanage	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	Alaska	Beaufort	Miss Babcocks Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Lindsay Patton Scholarship.	Bishop Ingle Memorial	Apportionment.	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund Society	Specials	Total	Boxes	Value	Total
Edgecombe District	219	$12 95	$ 92 98	$48 61	$ 89 17	$30 58	$ 6 50	$ 1 00	$10 00	$	$17 00	$13 90	$ 7 56	$ 5 30	$36 10	$ 2 18	$23 90	$ 113 57	$ 511 30	9	$ 207 38	$ 718 68
Granville District	171	12 85	107 09	44 00	100 16	79 00	11 23	10 00	9 50	32 00	9 50	9 00	8 00	13 00	33 50	7 50	54 00	76 98	617 31	5	206 10	823 41
Wake District	216	11 40	102 61	49 75	117 05	10 75	8 25	13 00	12 50	30 00	22 75	12 75	12 75	7 25	39 05	7 65	34 00	142 86	634 37	12	304 67	939 04
Guilford District	155	12 47	37 02	26 31	46 40	23 31	4 00	3 00	6 00	12 00	9 50	3 50	1 00	7 00	19 00	7 20	14 00	99 86	331 57	7	139 69	471 26
Mecklenburg District	113	8 85	31 00	39 60	11 90	9 00	2 00		1 00		1 00	6 00		29 75	8 00	10 00	2 00	52 70	212 80	4	70 85	283 65
Rowan District	45	3 90	13 55	19 25	52 28	2 50					3 00	2 50			14 10		12 00	73 25	196 33			196 33
Total	919	$62.42	$ 381 25	$227.52	$ 416.96	$155 14	$ 31.98	$27.00	$ 39.00	$ 74.00	$ 62.75	$47.65	$29.31	$62.30	$149.75	$ 34.53	$139.90	$ 559.22	$ 2503.68	37	$ 928.69	$ 3432.37

Communion Alms and Collection for Apportionment	$ 13 65
Thank Offering at Annual Meeting	
For United Ofiering	42 14
Collection at Convocation of Charlotte for Mr. Berkeley's Work	6 00
Total	$3491 16

REPORT OF UNITED OFFERING.

HONORED PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY:

It is with a heart full of gratitude I announce to the Woman's Auxiliary assembled here that the United Offering is:

Reported at last meeting - -	$ 42.57
Collected 1905 and 1906 - -	456.28
Interest - - - - -	7.92
Total - - -	$506.77

This represents the offerings from 36 branches, Juniors of the Convocation of Charlotte and Juniors of St. Mary's School. The $33.57 sent by the Juniors of the Raleigh Convocation, arrived too late to be included in this report. We must all bear in mind that the fiscal year closes May 1st: anything sent after that date goes over to the next year's report. It does not make a very great difference this time, as the money will be put out at interest and bear fruit. But remember that 1907 is the time for our triennial offering at the General Convention, and everything must be up to date to swell the sum to $1000.00 and beyond, if possible. The Auxiliary passed a resolution last year that all money shall be sent to Mrs. Blair. I am always glad to have a postal sent to me also, that I may keep in touch with the parishes. She gives me an itemized list of the sums sent; it grieves me to see 13 blanks, instead of offerings. When collecting for the Thompson Orphanage box last Thanksgiving, I remarked to one man who had every strain on his purse during the year, that I would not ask him for anything. He replied that he was not willing to be left out, and handed me a dollar. That is the spirit which should animate us all. I beg of you not to be ashamed to send a small sum if not able to send a large one. In order to make this a UNITED Offering, every Parish, every Mission should join in, each strand helping to form the Cable which is stretching from our land to the ends of the earth.

ADELAIDE E. SMITH,
Secretary United Offering.

FIFTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB.

Diocese of North Carolina.

An illness covering three months has made it impossible for me to do my work except by proxy—and the 15th Annual Report of the Church Periodical Club is, unfortunately, one of those things that could not be delegated; so, except to submit our Treasurer's Report of the amounts sent in for the Central Office Fund, I have nothing to tell.

The Librarians' Reports were sent out from the Central Office, and such as were filled out were returned to headquarters, and consequently I do not yet know what we have done; except I do know that very few applications for addresses to which literature was to be sent where made to me, during the past year—I hope, however, that means that more local work is being done, which, of course, means precisely the same thing as if the addresses were furnished from the Central Office.

We have 18 Librarians. Three new ones, as Ascension Mission, High Point, and Winston-Salem have joined us during the current year—and there have been—to my infinite regret—two resignations, both most efficient and valued officers, viz: Mrs. W. A. Edwards, of Calvary Parish, Wadesboro, who has removed to Tennessee, and whom we grieve to lose, even though her place will be filled by as desirable and capable a successor as Mrs. Eugene Little; and St. Peter's, Charlotte, loses Mrs. Bland, much to my regret. So far I do not know who will succeed her, but I sincerely hope it will be as satisfactory and delightful a woman.

These are, so far, all of the changes that I know; but there are many parishes in the diocese which take no part in this good and most useful branch of our work. I wish I knew how to make them!

I have so long hoped the day would come when all of our parishes would see with my eyes the need that everywhere exists for reading matter, and supply not only our own Missions and needy ones, but go beyond and give as freely as has been given to us.

I herewith report Mrs. Blair's statement of the contributions.

Rebecca Cameron,
Correspondent, C. P. C.

C. P. C—1905-1906.

September 12th, Trinity, Scotland Neck, -	$ 1.22
December 12th, Trinity, Scotland Neck, -	.34
January 15th, Christ, Raleigh, - - -	1.80
February 1st, St. Alban's, Littleton, - -	2.00
February 10th, Holy Innocent's, Henderson, -	1.00
February 16th, Epiphany, Leaksville, - -	1.00
February 16th, Good Shepherd, Raleigh, -	2.50
March 12th, Calvary, Wadesboro, - - -	10.00
March 31st, St. Philip's, Durham, - - -	2.00
April 17th, St. Matthew's, Hillsboro, - -	3.00
April 26th, Emmanuel, Stoneville, - - -	.20
April 28th, Christ, Raleigh, - - - -	1.35
April 30th, St. Andrew's, Greensboro, - -	6.00
April 30th, St. Stephen's, Oxford, - - -	1.50
April 30th, Trinity, Scotlandneck, - - -	.62
Total, - - -	$34.53

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES OF THE C. P. C. AND THEIR LIBRARIANS:

No. 1. St. Matthew's Parish, Hillsboro—Miss Helen L. Webb.
No. 2. Christ Church, Raleigh—Miss Emma Karrer.
No. 3. Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh—Miss Annie C. Hill.
No. 4. Holy Innocents, Henderson—Mrs. Maurice O'Neal.
No. 5. Epiphany, Leaksville—Mrs. W. S. Martin.
No. 6. Rockingham Mission—No Librarian.
No. 7. St. Paul's, Monroe—Mrs. S. S. Wolfe.
No. 8. St. Paul's, Winston-Salem—No Librarian.
No. 9. St. Philip's, Durham—Mrs. J. B. Hunter.
No. 10. Trinity, Scotland Neck—Miss Addie E. Smith.
No. 11. Grace Church, Warrenton—No Librarian.
No. 12. Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill—Miss Nellie B. Barbee.
No. 13. St. Andrew's, Greensboro—Mrs. Oscar Williams.
No. 14. St. Stephen's, Oxford—Miss Biggs.
No. 15. St. Barnabas, Greensboro—Mrs Chas. M. Stedman.
No. 16. All Saints, Concord—Mrs. James Gibson.
No. 17. St. Mary's School, Raleigh—Miss Kate McKimmon.
No. 18. Emmanuel Mission, Southern Pines—No Librarian.
No. 19. St. Peter's Church, Charlotte—Mrs. M. A. Bland.
No. 20. St. Albans, Littleton—Miss Lucy Goode Capehart
No. 21. St. Timothy's, Wilson—No Librarian.
No. 22. St. Luke's, Salisbury—No Librarian.
No. 23. Calvary, Wadesboro—Mrs. Eugene Little.
No. 24. St. Paul's, Louisburg—Mrs. F. S. Spruill.
No. 25. Cooleme Mission—Miss Ruth W. Hairston.
No. 26. High Point—Mrs. E. P. Parker.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

To the Juniors of the Convocation of Raleigh:

The ever cycling years bring us again to May 1st, and the end of the Juniors work for 1905–1906.

In the Convocation of Raleigh three new branches have been organized, St. Saviour's Chapel, Raleigh, Grace Church, Weldon, and St. Timothy's, Wilson, the latter having been silent for two years. The Mary Lippet Chapter, Pittsboro, is still interested in St. Paul's School, Beaufort, but sent no report. St. Stephen's Branch, Oxford, is disorganized, but only temporarily we hope. There are eighteen branches in this Convocation, two not reporting.

Members, 378.

Receipts in money as follows:

Apportionment,	$ 13.35
Thompson Orphanage,	125.10
Diocesan Missions,	85.21
Domestic Missions,	67.00
Foreign Missions,	61.65
United Offering,	32.57
St. Augustine's,	4.00
Church Periodical Club,	6.00
Central Fund,	12.19
Boxes, (16) Valued,	117.75
Total,	$524.82

The pledge of $40.00 for Yoshio, Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, must claim the interest of the Juniors of the Diocese for two more years. Ten branches of this Convocation contributed $28.20 for that purpose this year. In the year that stretches before us God grant that the banners of the Juniors may not simply be unfurled. but let your zeal and enthusiasm fling it "skyward" and "seaward" that your own efforts may grow and be a stimulus to those grown laggard in the service of the King of kings.

Work your soul! Let the noontide bring from the heart of each Junior the prayer, Thy Kingdom Come! Work the brain! Spare ten minutes from the reading hour for the study of the special objects for which the Juniors labor. Work the body! Go to every meeting with an offering in your hand for one of the objects. In conclusion let me thank you for your assistance in my inexperience, and beg your co-operation for the coming year.

Faithfully yours,

Sally D. Rawlings.

PARISH BRANCHES.

Durham—St. Philip's
Director, Mrs. W. I. Wall. Secretary, Mary M. McGory. Treasurer, Nancy Rowe.
Halifax—St. Mark's
Director, Miss Nettie Gilliam.
Hillsboro—St. Matthew's
Director, Mrs. Paxson Walters.
Jackson—Church of Our Saviour
Director, Miss L. N. Whitfield. Secretary, Miss A. E. Calvert. Treasurer, Miss L. N. Whitfield.
Louisburg—St. Paul's
Director, Miss Mary Kerr London.
Pittsboro—Mary Lippet Chapter
Raleigh—Christ Church S. S.
Director, Col. F. A. Olds.
Raleigh—St. Mary's
Director, Miss Kate McKimmon.
Raleigh—Good Shepherd
Director, Miss Sarah F. Cheshire. Secretary, Miss Bertha Holman.
Raleigh—St. Saviour's Chapel
Director, Miss Emma Karrer.
Ridgeway—Good Shepherd
Director and Treasurer, Mrs. Jas. D. Scott. Secretary, Miss Annie Collins.
Rocky Mount—Good Shepherd
Director, Mrs. R. B. Owens. President, Miss Cora Arrington. Secretary, Miss Julia Mack Smith. Treasurer, Joe Baker.
Scotland Neck—Trinity S. S.
Director, Mrs. G. S. White.
Southern Pines—Emmanual
Director, Rev. H. T. Gregory.
Tarboro—Calvary
Director, Miss Sallie D. Pender. Secretary, Sophia Hart. Treasurer, Maggie Pennington.
Warrenton—Gilbert Higgs Chapter
Director, Miss Mattie Jones.
Weldon—Grace
Director, Miss Elizabeth Hill.
Wilson—St. Timothy's
Director, Mrs. Jesse B. Williams. Secretary and Treasurer, Helen Blair Rawlings.

To the Juniors of the Convocation of Charlotte:

In writing my first report of the Junior Auxiliary of the Convocation of Charlotte, I wish to call the attention of the Juniors to their threefold object namely, Prayer for Missions, Study of Missions, Gifts for Missions. Many think we organize for gifts only, but you must remember that we are expected to give prayer and study, as well as money.

If you make a study of the different objects to which the Juniors contribute, you will find much to interest you. The Young Christian Soldier, Spirit of Missions and the leaflets sent out by the Church Mission House, contain much interesting information of the work in the Domestic and Foreign fields, the United Offering, ect., while the "Messenger of Hope" will give you much information about the Orphanage, and the various works in the Diocesan field.

Your gifts for 1905–1906 have been distributed as follows:

In money,

Thompson Orphanage,	$35.65	
Diocesan Missions,	10.26	
Domestic Missions,	9.31	
Apportionment,	5.34	
Foreign Missions,	3.81	
Central Fund,	3.72	
United Offering,	2.92	
Clergy Retiring Fund,	1.00	
		$72.01

Boxes,

Thompson Orphanage,	$ 8.26	
Diocesan,	32.50	
Domestic (1 box value not known)		$40.76
Total,		$112.77

I hope you who already are interested will interest others in this work, and I trust you will all pray for God's blessing upon it and all our missionary work.

Sincerely yours,

Margaret C. Bland,

Secretary and Treasurer,

PARISH BRANCHES.

Charlotte—St. Peter's S. S. No Report.

Charlotte—St. Peter's
Director, Mrs. W. R. Taliaferro.

Charlotte—St. Mary the Virgin
Director, Rev. W. J. Smith. Vice-President, Miss Kate Capehart. Secretary, Miss A. L. Jones.

Coolemee—Good Shepherd
Director, Mrs. Henry Rice. Secretary and Treasurer, A. C. Miller.

Greensboro—St. Andrew's
President, Sallie Boyd. Secretary, Anna Williams. Treasurer, Jamie Wetmore.

Lexington—Grace Church
President, Lloyd R. Hunt. Secretary, Elmer Berrier. Treasurer, Frank Robbins.

Mecklenburg County—St. Mark's
Director, Miss Fanny L. Whitley, R. F. D. Charlotte, N. C., No. 6.

Monroe—St. Paul's
Director, Mrs. J. D. Parker. Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Cornie Fairley.

Salisbury—St. Luke's
Director, Mr. T. J. Young.

Salisbury—St. Hilda's
Director, Mrs. W. H. Stewart.

Statesville—Trinity, No Report.

Wadesboro—
President, Wm. C. Hardison. Vice-President, May Murray.
Secretary, Osborne Hardison. Treasurer, James A. Leak, Jr.

Winston—St. Paul's
Director, Mrs. Walter Leak.

JUNIOR'S REPORT.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Apportionment.	Diocesan Mission	Domestic	Foreign	St. Augustine	Thompson Orphanage	Total	Boxes	Value	Total
Durham	20	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 15 00	$ 15 00	1	$ 8 00	$ 23 00
Halifax	3									1 75	1 75			1 75
Hillsboro	12	1 00	3 00		5 00		4 00	5 00	2 00	12 31	32 31			32 31
Jackson	3	15	75		1 00		1 00	1 00		2 00	5 90			5 90
Louisburg	6		50			50		50		2 00	3 50	1	10 05	13 55
Oxford	52													
Pittsboro														
Raleigh, Christ Church	102					2 50		5 45			7 95			7 95
St. Mary's	125	6 10	6 00	6 00	5 45	24 00	24 00	30 00		30 00	131 55	7	18 00	149 55
St. Saviour's Chapel	13					25					25			25
Good Shepherd	14	40				2 00	11 00				13 40			13 40
Ridgeway	8					2 00		2 00		2 60	6 60			6 60
Rocky Mount	16	84				41 96	25 00	8 00		10 00	85 80	4	49 20	135 00
Scotland Neck	32	1 50	2 00		1 15		2 00	1 70	2 00	19 49	28 84	1	10 00	39 84
Southern Pines	17		2 00					4 00		4 75	10 75			10 75
Tarboro	15	75	2 00		75	5 00		2 00		4 00	14 50	1	12 50	27 00
Warrenton	15	65	1 10							15 20	16 95			16 95
Weldon	7													
Wilson	16	80	50			7 00		2 00		5 00	16 30	1	10 00	16 30
Total	476	$12 19	$ 17 85	$ 6 00	$13 35	$ 85 21	$67 00	$61 65	$ 4 00	$ 125 10	$ 392 35	16	$ 117 75	$ 510 10

JUNIOR'S REPORT.

PARISH	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Diocesan	Domestic	Foreign	Apportionment.	Clergy Retir-Fund	Thompson Orphanage	Box	Total
Burlington, St. Athanasius		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
Charlotte, St. Peter's	10									18 00	18 00
St. Mary's Virgin Thompson Orphanage	60	47	92		2 86	1 31	84			5 00	11 40
Coolemee, Good Shepherd				1 00	50	50	50		3 00	5 76	11 26
Dilworth. Holy Comforter											
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	10		1 00	9 50					10 00		20 50
Leaksville, Epiphany	10										
Lexington, Grace	23								10 00		10 00
Mecklenburg Co. St Mark's	5	25			3 00		1 00		2 00		6 25
Monroe, St. Paul's	17	85		1 00	95	50					3 30
Olive Branch, St. Timothy											
Salisbury, St. Luke's	60	1 00		3 26	1 00		1 00		5 00		11 26
Salisbury, St. Hilda's	10										
Statesville, Trinity	9										
Wadesbory, Calvary, B. Gray	23	1 15	1 00	5 00	1 00	2 00	1 50	1 00	5 65	2 50	20 80
Total	237	$ 3 72	$ 2 97	$19 75	$ 9 31	$ 4 31	$ 4 84	$ 1 00	$35 65	$31 26	$ 112 77

SUMMARY REPORT OF THE JUNIOR BRANCH
OF THE
WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Diocesan	Thompson Orphanage	St. Augustine	Domestic	Foreign	Apportionment	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	Boxes	Value	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	476	$12 19	$17 85	$ 85 21	$ 125 10	$ 4 00	$67 00	$61 65	$13 35	$	$ 6 00	$ 392 35	16	$ 117 75	$ 510 10
Convocation of Charlotte	237	3 72	2 92	19 76	35 65		9 31	4 31	4 84	1 00		81 51	6	31 26	112 77
Total	713	$15 91	$20 77	$ 104 97	$ 160 75	$ 4 00	$76 31	$65 96	$18 19	$ 1 00	$ 6 00	$ 473 86	22	$ 149 01	$ 622 87

United Offering Collected by Mrs. Murdoch.....$ 14 72

$ 637 59

THE BABIES' BRANCH,

ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT 1906,

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

My Dear Little Baby Helpers:

I wonder if you know what a big work you are doing. I wonder if you know that the biggest work in the world is done by little babies. All the big trees and forests, all the flowers and fruits, all the grass on the mountains and in the valleys, all the fields of corn and cotton and wheat, every green thing that grows in the world was once a little baby seed. All the big oceans and all the great rivers were once little baby drops of water. The huge mountains that seem to reach the sky are little baby grains of sand piled up on each other. Every big thing in God's universe grows from little baby things. And the biggest thing in this great world is a little baby boy or girl!

Dear little baby workers, what a big work you are doing! Your pennies—little baby messengers of love—are going flying all over the world. Away up to the frozen regions of the North; away down to the tropical heat of the Equator; away across the broad Pacific Ocean, half-way around the world, your messengers go flying with tokens of love—one thousand to the cunning little babies of Alaska living in snow houses and clothed in the skins of wild animals; five thousand to our own dear little orphan babies in Charlotte, babies without papas or mammas; and two thousand five hundred baby kisses to the dear old clergymen who married our papas and mammas, baptized us babies, and gave their own lives to the labors of God. They are now become as little babies, and your sweet help is one of their most precious rewards.

Dear little Baby Helpers, work on! As the baby seed, the baby drops of water, the baby grains of sand are building up forests, oceans, mountains, so the world of humanity is built up, filled with love and fitted for its eternal home in heaven by little baby workers. Should God call you to Him, your baby pennies will be working and doing good on earth, while you, in heaven, are working and singing in the presence of God.

Your loving friend,

Alice Winston Spruill.

Louisburg, N. C., Easter, 1906.

STATISTICAL REPORT.

Parishes	23
Baby Helpers	241
Baby Pennies	13,864

The pennies were employed as follows:

General Missions	$ 10.00
Thompson Orphanage	50.00
Clergy Retiring Fund	25.00
Bishop Atkinson Cot (at Holy Trinity, Tokio, Japan)	20.00
Bishop Rowe—Alaska	10.00
Bishop McKim—Japan	5.00
Valle Crucis	10.00
United Offering	4.00
Central Fund	3.00
Apportionment	1.64

PARISH	DIRECTOR	Babies	Amount
Battleboro	Mrs. H. B. Marriott	4	$ 2.89
Chapel Hill	Mrs. W. D. Toy	4	3.00
Duke	Miss Carrie Herndon	6	1.00
Durham	Miss Ethel Herndon	14	3.00
Coakley	Miss Bessie Jones	6	1.50
Enfield	Miss Mabel Curtis	8	4.24
Henderson	Miss Claudia Hunter	12	4.77
Hillsboro	Mrs. Paxson Watters	11	8.00
Lawrence	Mrs. Willie Knight	3	1.00
Littleton	Mrs. P. A. Spruill	5	1.73
Louisburg	Mrs. F. S. Spruill	25	24.82
Middleburg	Mrs. H. M. Church	6	2.05
Oxford	Miss Maude Parham	12	7.00
Pittsboro	Mrs. William L. London	6	11.00
Raleigh (Christ)	Miss Mary P. Ashe	19	10.71
Raleigh, (Good Shepherd)	Miss Pattie L. Carroll	30	10.11
Ridgeway	Mrs. J. D. Scott	3	1.20
Rocky Mount	Mrs. G. L. Wimberly, Jr.	17	13.50
Scotland Neck	Miss Mary W. Smith	7	4.32
Stovall	Mrs. C. L. Lewis	2	1.15
Selma	Mrs. Robert Ashworth	3	2.00
Tarboro	Miss Annie Gray Nash	29	17.04
Wilson	Miss Elizabeth Hargrave	9	2.61
	Total	241	$ 138.64

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

My Dear Little Helpers:

Ten years ago the Babies' Branch began its work in the Diocese of North Carolina. On the membership cards then sent out was the verse—

"I am but a penny from a baby's hand,
Can I bear glad tidings over all the land?
Baby's love goes with me, so the penny's blest.
God's love joined to baby's can do all the rest."

All these years the pennies have been gathering and bearing their glad tidings, till the amount is more than twelve hundred dollars.

What baby's love and prayers have done we cannot measure now. but we believe God's love has gone with them, and made them do His work. In the Convocation of Charlotte, this past year, we have sent our gift to Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, Japan for our "Little Toka" as the babies still call her, though she was "Little Toka" to their brothers and sisters ten years ago.

Bishop Horner has received a part for his school at Valle Crucis. St. Augustine's, Raleigh, and the Thompson Orphanage have also been remembered. Three dollars given to the United Work of the Babies, have been divided between The Little Helpers' Day School, Shanghai and Angelica Church Hart Day School, Wuchang, China. Three dollars have been put into the Savings Bank for the United Offering, and four dollars given to the Apportionment.

The Infant Class of St. Peter's, Charlotte, have again sent their birthday pennies to Miss Henderson, Loo Chow, China, for a sick child. Thirteen dollars have been spent on central expenses. Besides these gifts, we have this year six precions offerings—memorials to dear little ones who have been taken from our sight, but are still with us in the Communion of Saints. These have been given to the Clergy Retiring Fund, that the loving memory and sweet influence of these little lives may help these noble men in their declining years. Can babies' pennies do a sweeter work than this?

We want this Memorial Circle to grow, and other mothers to send their gifts, that we may put a special memorial in the mission field.

Let us now take up onr work with new zeal, new hope, and send each baby penny with prayer and love. Then may we trust God's love to do 'all the rest.'

Mrs. W. J. Smith,
Charlotte, N. C.
Lent, 1906.

Affectionately your friend,
A. T. Smith.

MEMORIAL CIRCLE

1. Sue Somerville Walker
2. Elizabeth Maxwell
3. Jane Nicholson
4. William Overman
5. Edwin Lacy Clark
6. Caroline Donnell

RECEIPTS

PARISH	SECRETARY	Members	Amount
Burlington	Mrs. F. L. Williamson	7	$ 2.50
Charlotte	Miss E. J. Hall	44	26.30
Dilworth	Mrs. C. F. Jones	1	.26
Greensboro	Mrs. Wetmore	12	4.35
Greensboro	Mrs. A. R. Perkins	9	3.25
Leaksville	Mrs. Martin	9	6.26
Milton	Mrs. Lewis Walker	1	3.00
Madison	Mrs. Pratt	1	.25
Mayodan	Mrs. W. C. Ruffin	3	2.00
Mocksville	Mrs. W. A. Griffin	1	.55
Monroe	Miss K. Fairley	2	1.00
Salisbury	Miss May Boyden	27	17.09
Statesville	Mrs. Furches	3	.78
St. Mark's, Mecklenburg	Mrs. E. M. McCoy	2	.55
Wadesboro	Mrs. R. E. Little	3	1.75
Winston	Mrs. H. A. Crute	4	2.11
St. Peter's Infant Class Charlotte (Special)	Mrs. Hunter		5.00
Special for Valle Crucis			5.00
Total		129	$ 82.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, for Bishop Atkinson Cot	$16.00
Valle Crucis "Mary Horner Memorial Cot"	8.00
Special for Valle Crucis	5.00
St. Augustine's, Raleigh	2.49
Thompson Orphanage	15.76
Clergy Retiring Fund	6.75
United Offering	3.00
United Work of Babies	3.00
Apportionment	4.00
Deaconess Henderson	5.00
Central Fund	13.00
Total	$82.00

SUMMARY OF BABIES' BRANCH.

	Members	Bishop Atkinson Cot	Mary Horner Memorial Cot	Valle Crucis	St. Augustine's	Thompson Orphanage	Clergy Retiring Fund	United Offering	United Work of Babies	Apportionment.	Deaconess Henderson	Central Fund	Bishop Rowe Alaska	Bishop McKim Japan	General Missions	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	241	$20 00	$	$10 00	$	$50 00	$25 00	$ 4 00	$	$ 1 64	$	$ 3 00	$10 00	$ 5 00	$10 00	$ 138 64
Convocation of Charlotte	129	16 00	8 00	5 00	2 49	15 76	6 75	3 00	3 00	4 00	5 00	13 00				82 00
Total	370	$36 00	$ 8 00	$15 00	$ 2 49	$65 76	$31 75	$ 7 00	$ 3 00	$ 5 64	$ 5 00	$16 00	$10 00	$ 5 00	$10 00	$ 220 64

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NOONDAY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS.

Blessed Saviour, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth Thy loving arms; grant that all mankind may look unto Thee and be saved: through Thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost ever, one God, world without end, Amen.

O Lord, Jesus Christ, who in the days of Thy Flesh didst accept the services of faithful women who ministered unto Thee of their substance; be pleased, we humbly ask to bless our endeavors to aid and encourage missionaries. Put into our hearts the things we should do and say to promote Thy glory. Grant that we may never be discouraged under difficulties, but go forward in faith and hope, looking unto Thee. Hear us, and answer this our prayer, for Thine own Name's sake. Amen,

O God, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send Thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off, and to them that are nigh; grant that all men everywhere may seek after Thee and find Thee. Bring the nations into Thy fold and add the heathen to Thine inheritance. And we pray Thee shortly to accomplish the number of Thine elect and to hasten Thy kingdom, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

INTERCESSORY DAYS.

The eve of the feasts of:

St. Andrew—Diocesan Missions. At the disposal of Bishop Cheshire.

The Epiphany—Foreign. As designated by the Branch.

The Annunciation—Domestic. At the disposal of the Bishop of Asheville, unless otherwise designated.

The Transfiguration—Thompson Orphanage.

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Diocesan Officers:

President

Mrs. John Wilkes, Charlotte.

Vice-President

Miss Mattie Bailey, Raleigh.

Secretary

Miss Kate Cheshire, Tarborough.

Treasurer

Mrs. Dorian Blair, Greensboro.

Convocational Secretaries

Convocation of Raleigh,

Mrs. R. H. Lewis, Raleigh,
Mrs. R. W. Winston, Durham.

Convocation of Charlotte,

Mrs. John Van Landingham, Charlotte,
Mrs. J. T. Bennett, Wadesboro.

SECRETARY UNITED OFFERING
Miss A. E. Smith, Scotland Neck.

CORRESPONDENT C. P. C.
Miss Rebecca Cameron, Hillsboro.

Junior Department

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH,
Mrs. E. G. Rawlings, Wilson.

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE,
Mrs. M. A. Bland, Charlotte.

Babies' Branch

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH,
Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Louisburg.

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE,
Mrs. Walter J. Smith, Charlotte.

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS.

ART. I The name of this society shall be The North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

ART. II. The object of this society is threefold—viz:—Prayer for Missions, Study of Missions and Work for Missions.

ART. III. The officers of this society shall be as follows, a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, four Convocational Secretaries; two Secretaries and Treasurers for the Juniors and two for the Babies' Branch; Secretaries for the United Offering, and C. P. C.

ART. IV. All the women of the Church are, by baptism, entitled to be members of the Woman's Auxiliary, and this active membership shall be recognized by annual contributions to the Central Fund.

ART. V. There shall be an annual meeting of this society; time and place to be decided by the executive board.

ART. VI. The Diocesan officers constitute the executive board and, under the Bishop, direct the work of this Branch of the Auxiliary.

ART. VII. This Constitution may be altered by a two-thirds vote of any Annual Meeting.

BY LAWS.

1. It shall be the duty of the President to call meetings, preside over them, and have general oversight of the whole work.
2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to act in the absence of the President.
3. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to conduct the correspondence of the society; to prepare for the Bishop and the Diocesan Convention an Annual Report of the work of the Auxiliary and to have printed for circulation a report of the work and of the Annual Meeting.
4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all moneys and disburse the same.
5. It shall be the duty of the Convocational Secretaries to keep in touch with the existing branches and to form new ones.
6. It shall be the duty of the Secretaries and Treasurers of the Junior Auxiliary and of the Babies' Branch to have the oversight of the work in their Branch; to receive all moneys and pay out the same by May 1st; and to send an annual report to the Secretary.
7. It shall be the duty of the Secretary for the United Offering to arouse interest in the fund by correspondence and the circulation of literature.
8. All moneys shall be paid quarterly to the Treasurer; the last payments to be made not later than the first day of May.

REPORT

of the Diocesan Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Bishop at the Convention held in Tarborough, May 16th and 17th, 1907.

Rt. Rev. Father in God:

In reviewing the work of the Woman's Auxiliary for the past year I find that little change has taken place in us externally. We have had a healthy, natural growth; in interest, in offerings and in numbers;—I trust there has been spiritual growth as well.

For the first time since I have been in office there has been no change in the list of Diocesan Officers; and this body, from longer experience, and better knowledge of each other and of their required duties, has done better work. The semi-annual meetings of the Officers and members of the Auxiliary during the sessions of the Convocations have also added to our interest and efficiency; and I would suggest that these meetings be held each fall when there is no Triennial Meeting of the United Auxiliary.

I regret to report the loss, by death, of several valuable parochial officers; but the influence of their life and works is still with us to help us.

I have visited during the past year; the Woman's Auxiliaries of Tarborough; Lawrence; St. Mary's, Edgecombe; Rocky Mount; Enfield; Christ Church, Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Mary's and St. Savior's, Raleight; Mayodan; Madison; Stoneville; Duke; St. Matthew's, Hillsboro and St. Athanasius, Burlington. The Juniors Auxiliaries of Tarborough; Christ Church, St. Mary's and St. Saviors', Raleigh; Mayodan and Hillsboro.

I have also visited several factory towns; and have endeavored to interest all the branches in our Diocese in the good work which is being done by our Church and her Missionaries among these people. In Duke I organized a branch of the Woman's Auxiliary; and in Mayodan, where I had organized the women a year ago, a branch of Juniors, composed of more than forty factory children.

The work done by the Junior Department this year has been especially encouraging; the old branches have grown and new branches have been formed.

Not quite so many branches have reported a Mission Study Class as did last year; but our women do not forget the Intercessory Days which are very generally observed.

Twenty five years ago a Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was organized in this Diocese, at a meeting of the Convention held in this parish. It was composed of six branches, only FOUR of which are in the present Diocese of North Carolina. Their members amounted to 119; their offering $261.60. Today we have have 123

branches, including the Junior Department; 2132 members, and our offerings amount to $4,434.42.

This may sound encouraging; and yet I pray that we may not be satisfied until every Parish and Mission Station has a missionary society; and we are doing not WELL—nor better than we did last year—but the best that is in us.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Central Fund	$ 76.43
United Offering	373.15
Diocesan Missions	510.00
Domestic Missions	837.00
Foreign Missions	187.47
Apportionment	141.70
Church Periodical Club	31.22
Clergy Retiring Fund	147.55
Specials	211.00
Collected at Annual Meeting for C. R. F. S.	17.07
Collected at Con. of Raleigh	25.60
Value of Missionary Boxes	887.00
Total	$3,445.19

Number of Branches	50
Number of Members	958
Increase in Money	$11.84
Decrease in Value of Miss. Boxes	$41.69
Increase in Members	34

REPORT OF JUNIOR BRANCH.

Central Fund	$ 13.28
United Offering	17.39
Diocesan Missions	114.49
Domestic Missions	234.63
Foreign Missions	75.88
Apportionment	25.45
Clergy Retiring Fund	12.00
Church Periodical Club	6.00
Specials	112.55
Value of Boxes	145.96
Total	$757.63

Number of Branches	34
Number of Members	746
Increase in Branches	3
Increase in Members	33
Increase in Offering	$120.04

REPORT OF BABIES' BRANCH.

Central Fund	$ 5.46
United Offering	9.00
United Work of Babies	3.00
Apportionment	8 68
Diocesan Missions	10.00
Domestic Missions	98 46
General Missions	10.00
Bishop Atkinson's Cot.	36.00
Japan	10.00
China	10.00
Clergy Retiring Fund	31.00
Total	$231.60

Number of Branches	39
Number of Members	433
Number of Branches in Woman's Auxiliary and Junior Department	123
Number of Members	2132
Offering	$4,434.42
Total Increase in Offering	$62.03
Total Increase in Members	128

Besides these regular offerings we have placed on God's Altar this morning a gift;—I know not how much; it may be small; I trust it is great. But whether great or small it is given to Him as a Thank Offering;—that He has caused His light to shine upon us; and that we are allowed to carry that light to those who sit in darkness.

May our offering be precious in His sight!

Respectfully submitted,

KATE CHESHIRE, Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

DIOCESAN—	Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	$ 278.88
	Roanoke Rapids	75.10
	Duke	5.00
	St. Mary's, Edgecombe County	6.00
	Coolemee	6.00
	Mayodan	74.50
	Charlotte Missions	19.00
DOMESTIC—	Thompson Orphanage	408.59
	Bishop Horner's Disposal	170.54
	Bishop Grey—Southern Florida	35.27
	St. Agnes' Hospital, St. Agustine's School	22.50
	Alaska	56.25
	St. Paul's School, Beaufort	62.00
FOREIGN—	Miss Babcock's Salary, Japan	67.25
	Bishop Cheshire Scholarship, Japan	51.25
	Lindsay Patton Scholarship—Bp. McKim's disposal	23.50
	Woman's Building, Soochow	33.50
	Foreign Missions	39.82
Apportionment—(General Missions)		140.70
Church Periodical Club		28.95
Clergy Retiring Fund Society		162.37
Specials		143.65
	Total	$1910.62

UNITED OFFERING.

Balance 1905-1906	$ 506.77
Woman's Auxiliary 1906-1907	373.33
Interest on amount	24.11
Total	$ 904.21

CENTRAL FUND.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Balance 1906	$ 98.70	Rev. B. Ancell's expenses	$ 8.40
Woman's Auxiliary	91.93	Printing	55.50
Total	$190.03	Miss Cheshire—Postage	14.00
	83.46	Mrs. Blair—Postage	4.38
Balance	$106.57	Mrs. Blair—Books	1.18
		Total	$ 83.46

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SENT DIRECT.

Emmanuel, Stoneville, to Mayodan	$ .35
St. John's, Battleboro, to Mayodan	2.50
St. Timothy, Wilson, to Mayodan	5.00
Heavenly Rest, Middleburg, to Mayodan	2.50
St. Paul's, Monroe, to Thompson Orphanage	4.10
St. Philip's, Durham, to Thompson Orphanage	38.50
Christ Church, Raleigh, to Thompson Orphanage	1.75
St. Mary's School, to Thompson Orphanage	5.00
Emmanuel, Warrenton, to Thompson Orphanage	10.00
Church Saviour, Jackson, to Roanoke Rapids	10.00
St. Alban's, Littleton, to Roanoke Rapids	2.70
Calvary, Tarboro, to St. Mary's, Edgecombe	36.57
Good Shepherd, Raleigh, "Special"	25.00
St. Mary's School, Raleigh, Shanghai	5.00
St. Mary's School, Raleigh, St. Paul's, Beaufort	5.00
Good Shepherd, Ridgeway, to Shanghai	5.50
St. Alban's, Littleton, to C. P. C.	2.02
St. John's, Battleboro, to Thompson Orphanage	11.00
St. Mark's, Halifax, to C. R. F. S.	3.00
Church Saviour, Jackson, "Special"	1.00
Total	$ 176·49

SPECIALS.

Convocational Missions	$ 4.00
Jurisdiction of Mexico	5.00
China	1.50
Bishop Rowe, Alaska	6.00
Laura Lemly Scholarship, Balsam, N. C.	10.00
Emily Farish Holt Scholarship, Shanghai, China	50.00
Batts' Cove, N. C.	5.00
St. James', Iredell County	5.00
Chapel at Spray, N. C.	2.00
Domestic Missions	25.00
St. Saviour's, Raleigh	5.00
Rev. Mr. Hilliard's work	5.00
Chinese Famine Sufferers	2.50
Bishop Ingle's work (Hankow), China	5.00
St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Shanghai, China	1.15
Ascension Mission, Advance, N. C.	2.00
Japan	1.00
Albert Smedes Scholarship, Shanghai	5.00
Hospital at Manilla (where Miss Hicks is)	2.50
St. John's, Shanghai	1.00
Total	$ 143.65

ADELINE CLEVELAND BLAIR,
Treasurer.

MINUTES OF OFFICERS' MEETING.

The Diocesan Officers' of the North Carolina Branch of the Womans Auxiliary held a business meeting in Calvary Chapel, Tarboro N. C., May 16th, 1907, at 11:30

The following officers were present:

Mrs. John Wilkes, President.
Miss Kate Cheshire, Secretary.
Mrs. Dorian Blair, Treasurer.
Mrs. R. H. Lewis,
Mrs. R. W. Winston,
Mrs. John T. Bennett,
Miss Addie Smith,
Mrs. E. G. Rawlings,
Mrs. W. J. Smith,
Mrs. Frank Spruill.

Miss Emery's request that we consider the advisability of limiting representation of Diocesan officers at our Triennal Meetings was duly considered and the followieg resolution adopted.

Resolved:—That four delegates with four alternates from each Diocese be sent to the Triennial Meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Miss Cheshire was requested to prepare certificates for credentials to be used by delegates attending the Triennial Meeting in Richmond, Va., October, 1907.

Miss Cheshire was also asked to have leaflets for United Intercessory services printed, these to be sent upon request of Parochial Secretaries. Meeting adjourned.

KATE S. BENNETT,
Recording Secretary.

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MINUTES.

At 3:30 Thursday afternoon, May 16th, 1907, The Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of North Carolina assembled in Calvary Chapel, Tarboro, N. C. Bishop Cheshire opened the meeting with prayer, followed by the singing of Hymn 249. Very briefly the Bishop spoke words of welcome and encouragement to this gathering and Mrs. John Wilkes, President of the Auxiliary called us to order. Most graceful and hearty was the welcome extended us by Mrs. Charles Parks, President of the Calvary Branch, Tarboro. Mrs. Wilkes responded for the Auxiliary. Our hearts were full of thankfulness as we listened to Mrs. Wilkes' address and her sketch of the twenty-five years growth of the Auxiliary in this Diocese. Miss Cheshire, Diocesan Secretary, voiced the sentiments of every woman

present when she spoke loving words of appreciation of Mrs. Wilkes' devoted service to the Auxiliary for the past quarter of a century. A rising vote further expressed our satisfaction with our honored President.

Mrs. Dorian H. Blair, Treasurer, read her report. Mrs. Blair urged all Parish Branches to send money direct to her, thereby saving trouble and confusion.

Mrs. R. H. Lewis, gave us a concise account of work done for the past year in the District of Wake.

Mrs. R. W. Winston, of Durham, her co-laborer in the Raleigh Convocation gave us ideas for future improvement as well as facts of work accomplished.

Much to the regret of the Auxiliary Mrs. John Van Landingham, of Charlotte, was detained at home by sickness in her family.

Mrs. John T. Bennett reported for the District of Guilford, Convocation of Charlotte, her work being confined to writing the various Branches in this District and endeavoring to stimulate interest in our Jubilee Offering and in Mission Study. The death of three parochial officers was mentioned and much deplored, viz:

Mrs. Thos. R. Sharpe for many years President of Leaksville Branch Woman's Auxiliary.

Mrs. Robt. E. Gibson President All Saints' Woman's Auxiliary, Concord, N. C.

Mrs. M. E. MacCauley the faithful Secretary of St. Paul's Woman's Auxiliary, Monroe, N. C.

Miss Addie Smith of Scotland Neck, our able Secretary for the United Offering made a report showing the Diocesan Branches are unusually interested in our next Triennial Offering to be made in Richmond, Va., October, 1907.

The United Offering is nearing the $1000.00 mark with one more collection to be taken.

Owing to continued ill health our faithful Secretary of the Church Periodical Club, Miss Rebecca Cameron, was unable to be present. Miss Cheshire read her report.

Miss Cameron resigned her office, but this resignation was not accepted.

Miss Jarvis of Connecticut was then introduced to the Auxiliary.

A letter from Miss Emery, read by Mrs. Wilkes, asked that the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary observe St. Matthew's Day, September 21st, 1907, as a day of special intercession for our mission work.

A most gratifying letter from Miss Emery on the subject of the Apportionment for North Carolina was read by Miss Cheshire.

Apportioned $320.00, the North Carolina Branch has given $413.67.

Roll Call by the Diocesan Secretary followed. The number

of Diocesan officers and the unusually good attendance of delegates showed how deeply our hearts have been aroused by the "Silver Jubilee Offering".

As the Parishes were called many of their representatives gave us hints for future use and enthusiastic words speaking increased interest in every form of mission work.

Miss Addie Smith made a plea for the work of our Church in Duke, N. C. It is desired to place our efforts in this new mill town on a practical basis.

Rev. J. J. Chapman of Kanazawa, Japan, to whom we had listened with so much interest in Calvary Church Wednesday night gave us a ten minute talk about his work in Kanazawa. This missionary with one native helper occupied a thickly populated field as large as the State of North Carolina.

His account of the embroidery school in Kanazawa and the exhibition of his stoles fashioned and and embroidered by Japanese women was most interesting to us all.

At 6:00 o'clock the meeting adjourned and the delegates and visitors assembled at the residence of Mr. S. S. Nash where a reception was given by Calvary Parish to the members of Convention and the Woman's Auxiliary.

Friday morning at 10:30 the Woman's Auxiliary and many in the Junior ranks gathered in Calvary Church to attend our long anticipated Jubilee Service. It was a Jubilee indeed. From the first ringing notes of Hymn 580 till the two hundred or more communicants had received the soul-strengthening food of the communion administered by our Bishop assisted by faithful Priests, there was devout attention to the service. Particularly happy was the magnificent tribute paid by Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt to the work and love of Woman all over the world.

Mr. Mallinckrodt chose for his text 13th, 14th and 15th verses of the forty-fifth Psalm.

The silver offering was collected by the four Deacons—Crosby, Brown, Blackwelder and Trott and received by Rev. Alfred Berkeley during the singing of Hymn 478. This offering amounted to $755.00.

This service held in the Church of such lovely proportions and hallowed memories, enhanced by beautiful music will be a life long delight to those who were fortunate enough to participate in it.

Immediately after service Rev. Thaddeus Cheatham of Wilson read the report of our Diocesan Secretary to the Bishop and the Convention called to order for that purpose.

From our happy Jubilee Service the Auxiliary met in Calvary Chapel and was called to order by Mrs. R. W. Winston.

Roll Call during the meetings showed one hundred and three delegates present besides many visitors.

Minutes of Diocesan officers meeting were read and approved.

The discussion of leaflets to be used at the Intercessory services was taken up.

The Auxiliary decided to use the same form of service as heretofore and the Diocesan Secretary was requested to have 1,000 of these leaflets printed for distribution to the various Parochial Branches.

A telegram of greeting from the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of East Carolina was read.

The resolution concerning the advisability of restricting the attendance of Diocesan Officers at Triennial Meetings was fully discussed, the members present agreeing with the Diocesan Officers in the following resolution.

Resolved:—That four delegates—with four alternates—from each Diocese be sent to the Triennial Meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Mrs. DeLaCroix of Oxford was asked to give us some particulars of the work of Miss Ellen Hicks, of Oxford, who is the only woman from the Diocese of North Carolina at work in a far distant field. Miss Hicks is a trained nurse of experience and has been at work under Bishop Brent in the Philippines. She is temporarily in the United States. It was moved, seconded and carried that Miss Hicks' work in Manila be added to our next pledge list.

Meeting adjourned.

At 3:30 P. M., May 18th, one of the most interesting of our sessions was held.

This meeting was attended by representatives from various Branches of the Junior Auxiliary as well as by the Seniors.

Mrs. S. D. Rawlings, Secretary of the Junior Auxiliary in the Convocation of Raleigh, gave us an account of magnificent work done by the Juniors.

She noted one new Branch, Holy Innocents, Henderson.

St. Mary's School is in the lead.

Miss Cheshire read us a letter from Mrs. M. A. Bland Secretary Junior Auxiliary in Charlotte Convocation.

Mrs. Bland reported 3 new Branches formed and bright hopes for future gifts and study among the Juniors.

Miss Cheshire with her cordial, tactful manner welcomed the Juniors, their mothers, aunts and leaders. The Tarboro Juniors attended and their report showed them to be a compact, well organized body.

An interesting account of the work done by the Babies' Branch in the Convocation of Raleigh was read by their Secretary Mrs. Frank Spruill.

Mrs. W. J. Smith to whose heartfelt and untiring efforts much of the success of the Babies' Branch in this Diocese is due read her report as Secretary of this department in the Charlotte Convocation.

As the Silver Offering had not reached the $1000.00 mark a

collection amounting to $18.64 was taken up and Miss Cheshire received further pledges from individuals and parish branches. The greatest enthusiam prevailed and our offering speedily climbed to $921.00. Later payments showed us to have given more than 1000 silver dollars to be used for some Diocesan work not yet decided on.

Artistic and beautiful silk bags in which the offerings from various Branches were laid on the altar were exhibited.

A collction for Miss Hicks' work was taken up and amounted to $17.30

Miss Jarvis of Connecticut made a most interesting address on the mission work of our Church in various fields.

Her talk was given mainly to the Juniors but older heads found pleasant information in it. Miss Jarvis is a fluent, graceful speaker and exemplified the Chinese expression of Christian workers, those with "the light in their faces". She answered several questions asked her by Junior Directors then gave us a graphic account of the work of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton in the Philippines, among the Igorotes.

With a rising vote of thanks to the Tarboro ladies who did so much to make this never-to-be-forgotten Annual Meeting a success the Auxiliary adjourned to meet next year in Raleigh.

Respectfully submitted,

KATE S. BENNETT,

Recording Secretary.

After the regular business session an adjourned meeting of the Junior Auxiliary was held and Rev. Alfred Berkeley gave an informal talk on the life and experiences of a missionary in a factory town.

From 6:00 o'clock to 7:00 Mrs. Stamps Howard delightfully entertained the members of the Auxiliary, their visitors and friends.

At 8:00 o'clock on Friday evening was held the last great service of our Jubilee Meeting. Bishop Cheshire gave an interesting sketch of the work of the Auxiliary in his Diocese; and strong missionary addresses were made by the Rev. Mr. Cheatham on General Missions;Rev. Mr. Barber on Foreign Missions, and Rev. Mr. Berkeley on Missions to the Children. An additional offering of $35.85 was made for the Silver Jubilee Fund.

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES AND OFFICERS.

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Battleboro—St. John's
Mrs. H. B. Marriott, President; Miss Mary Philips, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Mrs. H. S. Harrison, President; Mrs. Frank Pippen, Vice-President; Mrs. Gregory, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Mrs. A. D. Knight, President; Mrs. Williams, Vice-President; Mrs. Cary Lawrence, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Mrs. H. C. Cooper, President; Mrs. J. L. Patterson, Vice-President; Mrs. W. S. Saunders, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Mrs. Charles Parks, President; Miss A. C. Parker, Secretary; Mrs. R. I. Farrar, Treasurer.

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Miss Ida Pugh, Secretary and Treasurer.

Weldon—Grace
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Miss Henrietta Collins, President; Mrs. Wm. Hayes, Vice-President; Miss Rebecca Cameron, Secretary; Miss Lily Hamilton, Treasurer.

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Mrs. Richard Johnston, President; Mrs. T. Ralph, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Miss Eleanor W. Thomas, President; Miss J. B. Sutton, Vice-President; Miss Kate McKimmon, Secretary; Miss A. B. Smith, Treasurer.

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Mrs. G. H. Locey, President; Mrs. Chatfield, Secretary; Mrs. Florence E. Beck, Treasurer.

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Mrs. G. W. Montcastle, President; Mrs. Joel Hill, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Mrs. F. J. Murdock, President;Mrs. Isenhour, Vice-President; Mrs. Mary O. Linton, Secretary; Miss Mary Evans, Treasurer.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE

		DIOCESAN										DOMESTIC							FOREIGN: JAPAN			FOREIGN: CHINA									
	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Intercessory Col.	Roanoke Rapids	Duke	St. Mary's Edgecombe	Mayodan	Coolemee	Charlotte Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Intercessory Col	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Intercessory Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	Alaska	Beaufort	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	At Bishop McKim's Disposal	Woman's Building Sooochow	Epiphany Intercessory Col.	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Battleboro	10	$	$ 7 40	$	$ 1 25	$	$	$	$ 2 60	$	$	$ 12 50	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 5 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 23 65	1	$ 6 00	$ 29 65
Enfield	11	1 10	10 00	13 00		20 00								6 00				5 00					5 00		9 00		10 00		84 10			84 10
Halifax	4	40		1 00		1 00						2 00		1 00							1 00						3 00		9 40			9 40
Jackson	13	1 30	11 65	1 00		10 00						5 00		3 00						2 00					3 25		2 00	1 00	40 20			40 20
Lawrence	24	80	4 25	1 00	1 00				2 50				1 45	1 15	90									1 25	1 00		1 00		16 30	3	34 00	60 30
Roanoke Rapids	5			2 00								2 00										2 00					2 00		8 00			8 00
Rocky Mount	24	2 00	10 00	5 00								5 00		2 50		2 50		5 00		5 00	5 00				5 00		5 00	2 50	54 50			54 50
Scotland Neck	36	3 60	8 85		75	2 00	1 00		1 00			7 00	85	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00		1 00	1 00		1 00	1 15	1 00	2 60	1 00	2 00	41 80	1	52 25	94 05
Tarborough	55	5 00	28 01	25 00	2 05			36 57	10 00			10 00	5 51	7 00	2 12	3 00		2 00		8 00	5 00			6 67	10 00		12 00		177 93	3	110 00	287 93
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Weldon	23	3 80	4 92	2 00	75	12 00		1 00	2 00			18 00		3 25				2 00	2 00						2 00		2 00		55 72	1	43 60	99 32
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Increase in Members 16
Increase in Offerings $131.67

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE

Chapel Hill	17	$	$ 2 25	$ 2 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 7 00	$	$ 2 00	$	$	$	$	$10 00	$ 50	$ 3 00	$	$	$ 1 80	$	$	$	$ 28 55		$	$ 28 55
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Hillsboro	22	2 20	19 00	10 00	3 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	5 00	9 00	2 50	2 25	2 50	2 50	3 00	2 00	1 50	1 50	1 50	2 00		2 00	3 00	12 00		92 45	1	75 00	167 45
Oxford	22	2 20	7 36	10 00		5 00	2 00	2 00				10 00		10 00		2 50	2 50	1 00	1 00	2 50	2 50	1 50	1 00		15 00	1 50	12 00	12 00	103 56	1	15 00	118 56
Total	175	$13 90	$ 81 14	$ 49 51	$ 3 81	$17 00	$ 3 00	$ 3 00	$11 00	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$ 150 60	$10 25	$ 74 50	$ 2 58	$14 77	$10 00	$ 9 00	$23 00	$ 9 50	$12 00	$ 8 00	$ 8 00	90	$ 28 80	$ 7 50	$ 48 00	$ 17 00	$ 618 76	5	$ 151 00	$ 769 76

DISTRICT OF WAKE

Duke	9	$ 90	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$	$	$	$ 1 00	$	$	$	$ 1 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 1 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 5 90	$	$	$ 5 90
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Littleton	12	1 20	11 28			2 70																			15 00	2 02	25		32 45	1	20 00	52 45
Middleburg	10		4 00		1 05				2 50																				7 55	2	15 00	22 55
Raleigh, Christ Church	35	3 50	43 49	10 00	1 56	6 00						1 75	65						10 00	10 00	5 00	5 00				9 00	5 00	20 00	129 95			129 95
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	54	3 00	20 00	10 00					5 00			10 00		5 00		5 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	5 00	6 00	5 00	5 00		10 00	2 50	12 00	25 00	147 50	3	104 30	251 80
Raleigh, St. Mary's	14	1 50		9 80								10 00							10 00						1 40			10 00	42 70	1	10 00	52 70
Raleigh, St. Savior's	12																														
Ridgeway	6			1 00	2 00	1 00						2 00		1 00			25	1 00		50	50		25		1 00		1 50	5 50	17 50			17 50
Southern Pines	16	1 00	5 00	6 00	1 00							5 00		3 00		2 00	3 25	2 00		3 00	3 00		3 00						37 25	1	12 50	49 75
Warrenton	22	4 00	14 50	10 00		3 00			2 00			10 00		2 00		1 00		1 00			2 00		2 00		3 00		2 00		56 50	1	80 00	136 50
Louisburg	12	1 20	5 75	10 00	20	2 00	1 00	1 00				25 00	85	10 00	55			5 00		5 00			1 00	80	3 00		12 00		84 35			84 35
Total	211	$15 55	$ 107 62	$ 57 80	$ 5 81	$13 70	$ 1 00	$ 2 00	$ 9 50	$	$	$ 84 40	$ 2 50	$ 21 00	$ 55	$ 8 00	$ 8 50	$14 00	$30 00	$23 50	$16 50	$10 00	$11 25	$ 80	$ 34 40	$13 52	$ 32 75	$ 60 50	$ 586 15	10	$261 80	$ 847 95

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD

Burlington	21	$	$ 23 00	$ 2 00	$ 2 60	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 42 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 6 00	$ 50 00	$ 124 60		$	$ 124 60
Germantown	1																														
St. Andrew's, Greensboro	34	3 40	15 75	10 00	1 00				10 00			10 00	3 12	10 00	1 73	2 00		2 00	10 00	3 00			5 00	90	11 00	6 00	12 00	6 00	122 90	1	20 00	142 90
St. Barnabas, Greensboro	26	2 60	8 68	5 00	1 25				5 00			5 00	8 11	5 00	2 20	2 00	2 00	5 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	3 00	1 25		1 20			122 29	2	60 00	112 29
High Point	20		8 33	10 00														2 00							1 00			6 00	27 33	1	46 60	73 93
Leaksville	16	1 60	6 40	2 50								2 50		3 00				1 50							3 00			3 50	23 90			23 90
Madison	9																														
Mayodan	10		1 00	2 00								2 00													1 00				6 00			6 00
Stoneville	3	03	50						35			50						25			50		25		50	15	30		3 33			3 33
Walnut Cove	11																														
Winston	20	2 00	6 60	4 00								9 25		2 00			1 00	1 00		3 00					5 00		2 00	10 00	45 85			45 85
Total	171	$ 9 53	$ 70 26	$ 35 50	$ 4 85	$	$	$15 35	$	$	$	71 25	$11 23	$ 20 00	$ 3 93	$ 4 00	$ 3 00	$11 75	$12 00	$ 7 00	$ 1 50	$ 1 00	$ 8 25	$ 2 15	$ 21 50	$ 7 35	$ 19 30	$ 75 50	$ 416 20	4	$ 116 60	$ 532 80

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG

Bristow	18	$ 1 80	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 3 00	$	$	$ 3 00	$ 16	$	$	$ 4 00	$	$	$ 6 00	$	$	$ 15	$	$	$	$ 17 11		$	$ 17 11
Charlotte, St. Peter's	65	6 50		45 00					5 50	5 00			1 00		2 45									1 15	10 00			50 00	126 50	1	2 00	128 60
Charlotte, Dilworth	16	1 60		5 00							15 00														2 50				24 10			24 10
Monroe	14	2 50	1 50									4 10																	8 10	1	26 00	33 10
Wadesboro	17	1 70	5 50	5 00	1 55							12 00	4 50			2 00		1 00		1 00					5 00		4 00		43 25	2	39 75	83 00
Total	130	$14 10	$ 7 00	$ 55 00	$ 1 55	$	$	$ 5 50	$ 5 00	$18 00	$	16 10	$ 5 50	$ 3 00	$ 2 81	$ 2 00	$	$ 5 00	$	$ 1 00	$ 5 00	$	$	$ 1 30	$ 17 50	$	$ 4 00	$ 50 00	$ 219 16	4	$ 66 75	$ 285 91

Increase in Numbers 17
Increase in Offerings $2.26

DISTRICT OF ROWAN

Advance	3	$	$ 1 60	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 1 50		$	$ 1 50
Concord	9	90	8 20																										9 10			9 10
Coolemee	3			2 00																					2 25				4 25			4 25
Lexington	6		1 10	2 00																					1 00				4 10			4 10
Salisbury	20	2 00	5 00	10 00								43 90		3 00						2 50	2 50				5 00		3 00		76 90	2	20 00	96 90
Total	41	$ 2 90	$ 15 80	$ 14 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 43 90	$	$ 3 00	$	$	$	$	$	$ 2 50	$ 2 50	$	$	$	$ 8 25	$	$ 3 00	$	$ 95 85	2	$ 20 00	$ 115 85

SUMMARY TABLE

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

District of Edgecombe	235	$19 45	$ 91 33	$ 55 25	$ 5 80	$51 50	$ 1 00	$37 57	$25 00	$	$	$ 79 90	$ 7 81	$ 33 40	$ 5 97	$ 6 50	$ 1 25	$18 25	$ 2 00	$23 75	$12 25	$ 2 00	$ 6 00	$10 82	$ 31 25	$ 2 85	$ 40 50	$ 8 00	$ 579 40	10	$ 270 85	$ 850 25
District of Granville	175	13 90	81 14	49 51	3 81	17 00	3 00	3 00	11 00	1 00	1 00	150 60	10 25	74 50	2 58	$14 77	10 00	9 00	23 00	9 50	12 00	8 00	8 00	90	28 80	7 50	48 00	17 00	618 76	5	151 00	769 76
District of Wake	211	16 55	107 62	57 80	5 81	13 70	1 00	2 00	9 50			84 40	2 50	21 00	55	8 00	8 50	14 00	30 00	23 50	16 50	10 00	11 25	80	84 40	13 52	32 75	60 50	586 15	10	261 80	847 95

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

District of Guilford	171	$ 9 53	$ 70 26	$ 35 50	$ 4 85	$	$	$15 35	$	$	$	71 25	$11 23	$ 20 00	$ 3 93	$ 4 00	$ 3 00	$11 75	$12 00	$ 7 00	$ 1 50	$ 1 00	$ 8 25	$ 2 15	$ 21 50	$ 7 35	$ 19 30	$ 75 50	$ 416 20	4	$ 116 60	$ 532 80
District of Mecklenburg	130	14 10	7 00	55 00	1 55			5 50	5 00	18 00		16 10	5 50	3 00	2 61	2 00		5 00		1 00	5 00			1 30	17 50		4 00	50 00	219 16	4	66 75	285 91
District of Rowan	41	2 90	15 80	14 00								43 90		3 00						2 50	2 50				8 25		3 00		95 85	2	20 00	95 85
Total	963	$76 43	$ 373 15	$ 297 06	$21 82	$82 20	$ 5 00	$42 57	$66 35	$ 6 00	$19 00	$ 446 15	$37 29	$ 154 90	$15 61	$35 27	$22 75	$58 00	$67 00	$67 25	$49 75	$21 00	$33 50	$15 97	$ 141 70	$31 22	$ 117 55	$ 211 00	$2515 52	35	$ 867 00	$3402 52

Communion Alms and Collection for Clergy Retiring Fund Society - $ 17 07
Collected at Convocation of Raleigh for Mayodan - - - 18 00
Collected at Convocation of Raleigh for Roanoke Rapids - - 7 60
$3445 19

In Memoriam

Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord.

MRS. THOS. R. SHARPE,
President of the Woman's Auxiliary, Leaksville.

MRS. FOUCHT,
President of the Woman's Auxiliary, Walnut Cove.

MRS. M. E. McCAULEY,
Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary, Monroe.

MRS. R. E. GIBSON,
President of the Woman's Auxiliary, Concord.

MRS. T. C. GUTHRIE,
President of the Woman's Auxiliary, Dilworth.

REPORT OF UNITED OFFERING.

As Secretary of the United Offering I extend the cordial thanks of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Women of the Diocese, to whose noble efforts we are indebted for the sum which the Treasurer reports $904.21, and with the prospect of another offering in September, there should be a goodly sum carried to Richmond in October. I distinctly recall the feeling of timidity which came over some of us when the idea of a United Offering was first broached—For it was to be over and above the regular work of the Auxiliary. In 1886 the little sum of $82.00 was carried home in a handkerchief. Then came the request for $56,000.00 to endow the Bishopric of Alaska. It was promptly met, and with each triennial, the mark has steadily grown higher, until it reached the $150,000.00 in 1906. The Diocese of North Carolina sent $1,000.00 as her share in that. What will be our portion in this our Silver Jubilee Year? The use which is made of this money is far reaching in its results. There are 52 women workers who are dependent on the United Offering for their support. There are 15 of this number sent to the State of North Carolina, 6 to our Diocese, 6 to Asheville, and 3 to East Carolina.

I would like to call your attention to one fact, that it is partly due to this Diocese that we havea United Offering in a United Church. Only two Southern Bishops attended the General Convention which met in Philadelphia in 1865. Bishop Lay, Missionary Bishop of Arkansas, Bishop Atkinson of North Carolina. The Diocesan Convention had elected your former beloved rector, Rev. Jos. B. Cheshire the clerical delegate, and Mr. R. H. Smith of Scotland Neck the lay delegate. In the Memorial Sermon on Bishop Atkinson which Bishop Lay delivered before the Convention of North Carolina, May 18th, 1881, he says, "To the tact, the gentleness, the manly outspokenness of Bishop Atkinson the church is indebted for the honorable result of this venture." A lay delegate from Tennessee told a lady (not being aware that she had ever known him) that the Conservative conduct of Mr. Richard H. Smith in the House of Lay Delegates, was equally effective. People urged Dr. Cheshire not to go, for fear of some harm happening to him in those troublous times. But they spoke to the wrong man. If there ever was a soldier of Christ ready to fight under the Banner of the Cross, he was one. This place, this occasion, stir up feelings of loyalty and reverence for him which must have utterance. Trinity Church, Scotland Neck, claims a share in the tribute paid to him by loving hearts.

Reported at Annual Meeting 1906, -	$506.77
Interest - - - -	24.11
Collected 1906-1907 - - -	373.33
Total - -	$904.21

ADELAIDE E. SMITH, Secretary United Offering.

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB.

1906-1907.

Christ Church, Raleigh	$9.00
St. Andrew's, Greensboro	6.00
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro	3.00
St. Philip's, Durham	2.00
Holy Innocents, Henderson	1.00
Emmanuel, Stoneville	.15
Trinity, Scotland Neck	2.60
St. Barnabas, Greensboro	1.20
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	2.50
St. Stephen's, Oxford	1.50
Total	$28.95

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES OF THE C. P. C. AND THEIR LIBRARIANS:

No. 1. St. Matthew's Parish, Hillsboro—Miss Helen L. Webb.
No. 2. Christ Church, Raleigh—Miss Emma Karrer.
No. 3. Church of the Goed Shepherd, Raleigh—Miss Annie C. Hill.
No. 4. Holy Innocents, Henderson—Mrs. Maurice O'Neal.
No. 5. Epiphany, Leaksville—Mrs. W. S. Martin.
No. 6. Rockingham Mission—No Librarian.
No. 7. St. Paul's, Monroe—Mrs. S. S. Wolfe.
No. 8. St. Paul's, Winston-Salem—No Librarian.
No. 9. St. Philip's, Durham—Mrs. J. B. Hunter.
No. 10. Trinity, Scotland Neck—Miss Addie E. Smith.
No. 11. Grace Church, Warrenton—No Librarian.
No. 12. Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill—Miss Nellie B. Barbee.
No. 13. St. Andrew's, Greensboro—Mrs. J. R. Donnell.
No. 14. St. Stephen's, Oxford—Miss Biggs.
No. 15. St. Barnabas, Greensboro—Mrs. Chas. M. Stedman.
No. 16. All Saints, Concord—Mrs. James Gibson.
No. 17. St. Mary's School, Raleigh—Miss Kate McKimmon.
No. 18. Emmanuel Mission, Southern Pines—No Librarian.
No. 19. St. Peter's Church, Charlotte—Mrs. M. A. Bland.
No. 20. St. Albans, Littleton—Miss Lucy Goode Capehart.
No. 21. St. Timothy's, Wilson—No Librarian.
No. 22. St. Luke's, Salisbury—No Librarian.
No. 23. Calvary, Wadesboro—Mrs. Eugene Little.
No. 24. St. Paul's, Louisburg—Mrs. F. S. Spruill.
No. 25. Coolemee Mission—Miss Ruth W. Hairston.
No. 26. High Point—Mrs. E. P. Parker.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

Honored President, Secretary and The Women of the Auxiliary:

I submit for your consideration, the report of the Junior Auxiliary of the Convocation of Raleigh, for May 1906-1907.

Members	438
Branches	20
Branches Organized	1
Branches not Reporting	2
Branches not Active	3

The gifts of the Juniors were designated for the following general objects and have been disbursed accordingly:

Central	$ 9.52
United Offering	10.55
Diocesan Missions	68.77
Domestic Missions	81.00
Foreign Missions	62.75
Clergy Retiring Fund	12.00
Thompson Orphanage	85.39
Apportionment	22.04
Church Periodical Club	6.00
Diocesan Specials	112.55
	$470.57
Boxes 11 (valued)	84.31
	$554.88

This year St. Mary's School again leads the Juniors:
Members 125 Gifts $175.39

The Good Shepherd branch at Rocky Mount fills the second place:
Members 16 Gifts $112.82

		Members	Gifts
St. Matthew's	Hillsboro	11	$ 73.20
St. Philip's	Durham	20	38.50
St. Timothy's	Wilson	18	29.30
Calvary	Tarboro	20	29.00
Trinity S. S.	Scotland Neck	40	28.29
Good Shepherd	Raleigh	20	21.00
St. Paul's	Louisburg	6	9.75
Grace	Weldon	7	9.24
Christ Church S. S.	Raleigh	102	7.97
Our Saviour	Jackson	6	7.12
Good Shepherd	Ridgeway	6	6.60
Holy Innocents	Henderson	12	5.00
Emmanuel Missions	Southern Pine	15	4.65

TO THE JUNIORS OF THE CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

My Dear Juniors:

The pledge ($40.00) to the Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, Japan, for the tuition of Yoshio has been paid. $26.25 by ten branches of this Convocation. The Secretary of the Convocation of Charlotte reported Four ($4.00) from two branches. The deficit ($9.75) has been drawn from the Central Fund and forwarded as a gift from you.

The Central Fund has been further depleted by eight dollars ($8.00) paid Treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary for printing Journal and Two Dollars ($2.00) for incidentals.

There remains in bank - - -	$33.47
The United Offering, up-to-date, is -	43.09
Interest - - - - -	3.79
	$46.87

Will you not join with the Convocation of Charlotte and strive to place on the Alms Basin at the Triennial Meeting at Richmond, one hundred shining gold dollars, a gift from the Juniors of the Diocese of North Carolina, worthy of Him who has made childhood the days of pleasantness and peace?

Sincerely yours,
Sally D. Rawlings.

LIST OF OFFICERS JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

St. Philip's—Durham
Director, Mrs. W. L. Wall. Secretary, Gladys Toillefero. Treasurer, Mary Louise Manning.
St. Mark's—Halifax
Director, Mrs. W. E. Fenner.
St. Matthew's—Hillsboro
Director, Mrs. Paxson Walters.
Church of Our Saviour—Jackson
Director, Miss L. N. Whitfield. Secretary, Miss Annie Calvert.
St. Paul's—Louisburg
Director, Miss Mary K. London.
St. Stephen's—Oxford
Mary Lippet Chapter—Pittsboro
Christ Church S. S.—Raleigh
Director, Col. F. A. Olds. Treasurer, Miss Mabel Massey.
St. Saviour's Chapel—
Director, Miss Annie Root.
Church of the Good Shepherd—
Directors, Misses Pittenger and Sarah Cheshire. Treasurer, Miss Bertha Holmon.
St. Mary's School—
Director, Miss Kate McKimmon.
Church of the Good Shepherd—Ridgeway
Rirector, Mrs. Jas. D. Scott. Secretary, Miss Annie Collins.
Church of the Good Shepherd—Rocky Mount
Director, Mrs. R. B. Owens. Secretary, Mrs. Clarence Morton. Treasurer, Miss Maud Bunn.
Trinity Church—Scotland Neck
Director, Mrs. G. S. White.
Emmanuel Mission—Southern Pines
Director, Rev. H. T. Gregory.
Holy Innocents—Henderson
President, Miss Lula Shannon. Secretary, Miss Florence Butler. Treasurer, Miss Lucile Brody.
Calvary Church—Tarboro
Director, Miss Sallie D. Pender. Secretary, Miss Mary Bourne. Treasurer, Miss Sally Pender.
Gilbert Higgs Chapter—Warrenton
Grace Church—Weldon
St. Timothy's—Wilson
Director, Mrs. Jesse B. Williams. Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Helen B. Rawlings.

To the Juniors of the Convocation of Charlotte:

It is with unfeigned pleasure that I review the work of the Juniors in this Convocation in the past year. The report is most gratifying, the more so that the keynote is more and better work next year. In a few cases the work has fallen short of last year's, but in each case with good reason.

I wish to urge Directors, Officers and Juniors to study, work, pray, give, keep the interest alive, interest others both in and out of their own parish. Every parish however small or weak should have a Junior Branch. Let us put our shoulder to the wheel and strive to have every son and daughter of the Church taught their duty towards the Church's Missionary work, and impress upon them that it should be their pleasure as well as duty to do their part towards fulfilling our Saviour's command "Go ye and preach the Gospel to every creature."

Your gifts for 1906-1907 have been distributed as follows:

Cash		
Central Fund	$ 3.76	
United Offering	6.89	
Diocesan Missions	45.72	
Thompson Orphanage	19.96	
Domestic Missions	45.28	
Foreign Missions	13.13	
General Missions	34.1	
		$138.15
Boxes		
Diocesan (6) value	$56.65	
Domestic (1) value	5.00	
		$61.65
Total		$199.80

Branches reporting this year 12. Branches reporting last year 9.

Total in cash and boxes this year	$199.80
Total in cash and boxes last year	112.77
Total increase this year	$ 87.03

In the coming year let us take these for our watch words, prayer, study, work, naturally gifts will follow.

Yours faithfully,

Margaret C. Bland.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY, CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

Parish Branches.

Charlotte—(Dilworth) Holy Comforter
Director, Miss Mildred Bispham
Charlotte—(Thompson Opphanage) St. Mary's the Virgin
President and Treasurer, Rev. W. J. Smith. Vice-President, Miss Kate Capehart. Secretary, Miss Annie Love Jones.
Charlotte—St. Peter's
Director, Mrs. H. C. Jones. Secretary, Miss Mary Morgan Myers. Treasurer, Miss Marguerite C. Springs.
Coolemee—Good Shepherd
Director, Mrs. Henry Rice.
Greensboro—St. Andrew's
Director, Mrs. W. H. Ballard. President, Miss Frances Key. Secretary, Miss Anna Williams. Treasurer, Miss Sallie Boyd.
Greensboro—St. Barnabas
Lexington—Grace Church
Director, Mrs. Joel Hill. President, Lloyd R. Hunt. Secretary, Elmer Berrier. Treasurer, Miss Frank Robbins.
Mayodan—Church of the Messiah
Director, Miss Emma Karrer.
Mecklenburg County—St. Mark's
Director, Miss Fannie L. Whitley.
Mocksville—St. Philip's
Director, Mrs. Adolphus Griffin.
Monroe—St. Paul's
President, Miss Katie Fairley. Secretary, Miss Beatrice Dillon. Treasurer, Miss Caroline Parker.
Salisbury—St. Luke's
Director, Mr. T. F. Young.
Salisbury—St. Hilda's
Director, Mrs. W. H. Stewart.
Statesville—Trinity
President, Mrs. C. H. Armfield. Secretary, Mrs. J. S. Ramsey.
Wadesboro—Calvary
Director and Treasurer, Mrs. J. T. Bennett. President, R. D. Profit. Vice-President, Miss May Murray. Secretary, Miss Effie Shepherd Leak.
Winston—St. Paul's
Mrs. Walter Leak.

JUNIOR REPORT.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Diocesan Missions	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	Clergy Retiring Fund	Thompson Orphanage	Apportionment	St. Augustine	Church Periodical Club	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Durham	20	$	$	$ 2 00	$ 1 00	$25 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 28 00	1	$10 50	$ 38 50
Halifax																
Hillsboro	11	1 00		38 55	3 00	2 00	5 00	2 00	14 65	5 00	2 00		73 20			73 20
Jackson	6	12	50		1 00	1 00	1 00		3 00	50			7 12			7 12
Louisburg	6													1	9 75	9 75
Oxford																
Henderson	12				1 00	4 00							5 00			5 00
Pittsboro																
Christ Church, Raleigh	102				5 97		2 00						7 97			7 97
St. Savior's, Raleigh	12															
St. Mary's, Raleigh	125	3 25	6 00		32 97	30 00	33 00		35 00	7 30		6 00	153 52	5	21 87	175 39
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	20			3 00	2 50	5 00	1 50						12 00	1	9 00	21 00
Ridgeway	8				2 00		2 00		2 60				6 60			6 60
Rocky Mount	20	80		50 00	11 83	10 00	10 00	10 00					92 63	2	20 19	112 82
Scotland Neck	40	1 80	2 00			2 00	2 00		19 49		1 00		28 29			28 29
Southern Pines	15	75					2 25		1 65				4 65			4 65
Tarborough	20	1 00	1 50		6 50	2 00	2 00		3 00				16 00	1	13 00	29 00
Warrenton																
Weldon	7									9 24			9 24			9 24
Wilson	18	80	50	19 00	1 00		2 00		6 00				29 30			29 30
Total	442	$ 9 52	$10 50	$ 112 55	$68 77	$81 00	$62 75	$12 00	$85 39	$22 04	$ 3 00	$ 6 00	$ 473 52	11	$84 31	$ 557 83

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Diocesan Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	Apportionment	Total	Boxes	Value of Boxes	Total
Charlotte, Dilworth, Holy Comforter		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	1	$ 4 00	$ 4 00
Charlotte, T. O. St. Mary the Virgin	72	1 01	2 00			2 51	1 08	1 41	8 01			8 01
Charlotte, St. Peter's S. S.	65			5 00		34 27			39 27	1	30 00	69 27
Coolemee, Good Shepherd	8			1 00					1 00	1	3 00	4 00
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	12			30 00	10 00		8 05		48 05			48 05
Greensboro, St. Barnabas			1 34						1 34			1 34
Lexington, Grace Church, S. S.	15				5 00	5 00			10 00	2	15 00	25 00
Mayodan, Church of the Messiah	44				71				71			71
Mecklenburg County, St. Mark's	10	50			1 50				2 00			2 00
Mocksville, St. Philip's	1		55						55			55
Monroe, St. Paul's												
Salisbury, St. Luke's	50	90	2 00	5 72		1 50	2 00	1 00	13 12			13 12
Statesville, Trinity												
Wadesboro, Calvary	27	1 35	1 00	4 00	2 75	2 00	2 00	1 00	14 10	2	9 65	23 75
Total	304	$ 3 76	$ 6 89	$45 72	$19 96	$45 28	$13 13	$ 3 41	$ 138 15	7	$61 65	$ 199 80

United Offering 1905-1906 - - -	$2 92
United Offering 1906-1907 - - -	6 89
Total - - - -	$9 81

Gifts in money 1906-1907 - -	$138 45	
Gifts in money 1905-1906 - -	$ 72 01	
Increase in gifts of money - -		$66 44
Value of boxes 1906-1907 - - -	$61 65	
Value of boxes 1905-1906 - - -	$40 76	
Increase in value of boxes - - -		20 89
Total Increase - - -		$87 33

Respectfully Submitted,
MARGARET C. BLAND,
Secretary Junior Auxiliary, Convocation of Charlotte.

SUMMARY REPORT OF THE JUNIOR BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Diocesan Missions	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	Clergy Retiring Fund	Thompson Orphanage	Apportionment	St. Augustine	Church Periodical Club	Total	No. of boxes	Value	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	442	$ 9 52	$10 50	$ 112 55	$ 68 77	$ 81 00	$62 75	$12 00	$ 85 39	$22 04	$ 3 00	$ 6 00	$ 473 52	11	$ 84 31	$ 557 83
Convocation of Charlotte	304	3 76	6 89		45 72	45 28	13 13		19 96	3 41			138 15	7	61 65	199 80
Total	746	$13 28	$17 39	$ 112 55	$ 114 49	$ 126 28	$75 88	$12 00	$ 105 35	$25 45	$ 3 00	$ 6 00	$ 611 67	18	$ 145 96	$ 757 63

Number of branches—Convocation of Raleigh	20
Number of branches—Convocation of Charlotte	14
	34

Increase in members - - - -	33
Increase in offerings - - -	$120 04
Increase in branches - - - -	3

THE BABIES' BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

OF NORTH CAROLINA

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT 1907.

Little Baby Helpers
  Greet us here again,
Each with baby pennies
  In its tiny hand.

Sending out glad tidings
  Over seas and lands,
Sending forth their pennies
  From their baby hands.

Sending to the regions
  Of the frozen North,
Sending to the Islands
  Of the torrid South.

Helping other babies,
  Helping aged men,
Helping weary mothers,
  Helping heart and hand.

Help from Baby Helpers
  To those of aid in need
Is winged with a blessing—
  Is help Divine, indeed!

When in day of Judgment
  The Heavens are unrolled,
Every penny given
  Will be harp of gold.

Suffer little children,
  Said the Christ of old,
Suffer little children
  To enter in the fold.

Theirs the crown of glory!
  Theirs the smile of joy!
Theirs the sweetest story?
  Baby girl and boy!

STATISTICAL REPORT.

Parishes - - -	25
Baby Helpers - - -	301
Baby Pennies - - -	15,668

The pennies were employed as follows:

Thompson Orphanage - -	$ 50.00
Clergymen's Retiring Fund - -	25.00
Bishop Atkinson Cot. (Holy Trinity, Tokio, Japan)	20.00
General Missions - - -	10.00
Silver Jubilee Offering - -	10.00
Valle Crucis - - - -	10.00
Missions in Raleigh Convocation - -	5.00
Mayodan - - - -	5.00
Bishop Rowe, Alaska - - -	5.00
Woman's Building, Soochow - -	5.00
United Offering - - -	5.00
Memorial Kindergarten, Akita, Japan -	5.00
Apportionment - - -	1.68
	$156.68

> "God bless all the missionaries all over the world, and all the little helpers, for Jesus sake. Amen!"

"And Jesus called a little child unto Him and set him in the midst of them, and said,

"Verily I say unto you, except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.

"Whosoever, therefore, shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

"And whoso shall receive one such little child in My name, receiveth Me."

REPORT OF

MRS. F. S. SPRUILL, SECRETARY AND TREASURER,

Louisburg, N. C.

Parish	Director	Babies	Amt.
Battleboro	Mrs. H. B. Marriott	6	$ 3.20
Chapel Hill	Mrs. W. D. Toy	5	2.59
Duke	Miss Carrie Herndon	6	2.00
Durham	Miss Gertrude Winston	27	7.00
Enfield	Miss Mabel Curtis	4	2.92
Henderson	Miss Claudia Hunter	12	7.30
Hillsboro	Mrs. Paxson Watters	13	9.50
Kittrell	Miss Cora Hunt	2	1.00
Lawrence	Mrs. Willie Knight	3	1.15
Littleton	Miss Carrie H. Moore	18	5.00
Louisburg	Mrs. F. S. Spruill	28	15.48
Middleburg	Mrs. H. M. Church	6	2.50
Oxford	Miss Maud Parham	16	10.05
Pittsboro	Mrs. William L. London	5	5.00
Raleigh (Christ)	Miss Mary P. Ashe	22	9.11
Raleigh (Good Shepherd)	Miss Patsy Carroll	40	11.59
Ridgeway	Mrs. J. D. Scott	3	1.55
Rocky Mount	Mrs. Geo. L. Wimberly, Jr.	12	10.00
Scotland Neck	Miss Mary W. Smith	8	5.15
Stovall	Mrs. C. L. Lewis	3	5.04
Selma	Mrs. Robert Ashworth	4	2.50
Tarboro	Miss Annie Gray Nash	38	19.60
Weldon	Mrs. T. C. Harrison	9	6.00
Wilson	Miss Kate Connor	9	2.75
Williamsboro	Mrs. N. D. Boyd	2	1.00
Special Offering			7.70
	Total	301	$156.58

"Suffer the little children to come unto Me and forbid them not; for of such is the Kingdon of God."

Alice Winston Spruill,
Secretary Convocation of Raleigh.

TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BABIES' BRANCH CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

1907

My Dear Little Helpers:

This year when your Seniors are celebrating the Silver Jubilee, it is a great pleasure to report, that although your numbers are only three more than last year and your branches not quite so many, yet your offerings are a little more. You have been able to do a little more to spread the Gospel—the Glad Tidings. Our branch at Mocksville, of only one member, has been transferred to the Juniors.

Your gifts have gone to Japan to teach and train one orphan girl, to China to carry comfort to a sick child, to the Thompson Orphanage to help the Superintendent care for his seventy little ones. And here, too, the memorial gifts have this year gone to help care for the youngest child at the Orphanage—a wee little girl hardly three years old.

A part of your pennies have found their way to the mountains, to Bishop Horner's school at Valle Crucis, and a part to St. Agustine's School. We have not forgotten our retired Clergy, but a small gift goes to bring some help to these faithful ones who have given their lives for others and are now forced to "rest from their labors."

This year a special appeal was sent to the many branches in the Church, asking help to rebuild the Akita Kindergarten in Tokyo, a Kindergarten supported by the babies as a memorial to their leader, Gaylord Hart Mitchell, which was destroyed by fire last summer. Five dollars was given for this from three friends, one being the little girl enrolled as the first member of the North Carolina Babies' Branch.

The United Offering, the United work of the Babies, and the Central Fund have received their share, leaving just one bright silver dollar to add to the Silver Offering For the Babies must have some share in this Thanksgiving service, and in 1932 when we come together to celebrate our Golden Anniversary, may the ranks of the Woman's Auxiliary be filled with those, who as babies learned to bring their treasures to Him who said, "The silver is mine and the gold is mine" and may they all be His "In that day when He shall make up His Jewels."

Mrs. W. S. Smith, Affectionately,

Charlotte, N. C., April 1907. A. T. Smith

MEMORIAL CIRCLE.

1. Sue Somerville Walker
2. Elizabeth Shelton Maxwell
3. Jane Nicholson
4. William Overman
5. Edwin Lacy Clark
6. William Nicholson
7. Adelaide Watson Barber
8. Mary Wadsworth McCoy

RECEIPTS.

Parish	Secretary	Members	Amt.
Burlington	Mrs. F. L. Williamson	6	$ 4.07
Charlotte	Miss Emma J. Hall	58	29.27
Dilworth	Mrs. M. B. Davis	8	2.57
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	Mrs. W. H. Wetmore	5	1.63
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	Mrs. A. R. Perkins	11	3.98
Leaksville	Mrs. W. S. Martin	6	5.34
Mayodan	Mrs. W. C. Ruffin	3	3.00
Mecklenburg, St. Mark's	Mrs. E. M. McCoy	2	75
Milton	Mrs. Lewis Walker	1	5.00
Monroe	Miss K. Fairley	1	50
Rockingham	Mrs. Fairley	2	48
Salisbury	Miss M. W. Boyden	26	18.23
Winston	Mrs. H. A. Crute	3	1.10
St. Peter's Infant Class Charlotte (Special)	Mrs. C. L. Hunter		5.00
3 Friends Special for Akita Kindergarten			5.00
	Total	132	$ 85.92

DISBURSEMENTS.

Bishop Atkinson Cot., Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo	$16.00
Deconess Henderson Soo Chow, China, (for sick child)	5.00
Rebuilding Akita Kindergarten - - -	5.00
Valle Crucis - - - - - -	10.00
St. Agustine's School, Raleigh - - - -	3.00
Thompson Orphanage - - - -	10.00
For the youngest child at the Thompson Orphanage (Memorial Gifts) - - - -	10.46
Clergymen's Retiring Fund - - - -	6.00
United Offering - - - - - -	4.00
United Work of the Babies - - - -	3.00
Silver Offering - - - - - -	1.00
Apportionment - - - - - -	7.00
Central Fund - - - - - -	5.46
	$85.92

SUMMARY OF BABIES' BRANCH

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	United Work of Babies	Apportionment	Missions in the Convocation of Raleigh	Mayodan	Valle Crucis	St. Augustine	Bishop Rowe	Thompson Orphanage	General Missions	Bishop Atkinson's Cot.	Akita, Japan	Soo Chow, China	Clergy Retiring Fund	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	301	$	$ 5 00	$	$ 1 68	$ 5 00	$ 5 00	$10 00	$	$ 5 00	$50 00	$10 00	$20 00	$ 5 00	$ 5 00	$25 00	$ 146 68
Convocation of Charlotte	132	5 47	4 00	3 00	7 00			10 00	3 00		20 46		16 00	5 00	5 00	6 00	84 92
Total	433	$ 5 46	$ 9 00	$ 3 00	$ 8 68	$ 5 00	$ 5 00	$20 00	$ 3 00	$ 5 00	$70 46	$10 00	$36 00	$10 00	$10 00	$31 00	$ 231 60

Increase in Members - - - - 63
Increase in Offerings - - - - $10 96

Silver Jubilee

President's Address and Report of Twenty-five Years of Auxiliary Work

Friends, Members of the Woman's Auxiliary:

I am glad to be permitted to meet you again,—especially glad to meet you in Tarboro, the place where the North Carolina Branch was organized, and where we now meet to celebrate our 25th anniversary.

My address today will give you a short history of this Branch, its growth and its work. I am sure you will all feel grateful to our Heavenly Father for what He has enabled us to do for His service, and I ask you all to pray fervently that we may do more in the future in token of our gratitude.

In 1871, the General Convention of the Episcopal Church, in session at Baltimore, Md., established the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions as the authorized agency for Woman's Missionary work. All mission societies were directed to be merged in it—and all Woman's work was requested to report to the Convention through it. It is the only association for Woman's work that reports directly to the General Convention.

In October 1881, I asked Bishop Lyman it it would not be useful to establish a branch of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of North Carolina. He accepted the suggestion, and directed me to begin the work at once. Following his direction, I wrote to Miss Emery, Secretary, at the Church Mission Rooms, and in accordance with her instructions, I wrote to every Clergyman and to many women in the Diocese, which then comprised the whole State. The idea was well received, but establishment of branches was slow.

At the Diocesan Convention in Tarboro May, 1882, six branches reported and were organized as the North Carolina Woman's Auxiliary. I was elected Diocesan Secretary on the Bishop's appointment.

The six branches which formed the nucleus of our Auxiliary, were Trinity, Asheville; first organized as a Missionary Society in 1873.

St. Paul's Branch, Edenton; which dated from 1873.

The Branch in St. John's, Fayetteville; which had existed for a long time as a Parish Aid Society.

St. Peter's, Charlotte.

St. Matthew's, Hillsboro.

St. James', Lenoir.

This was our beginning in May, 1882, with about 100 members.

In May 1883, in Charlotte, the first annual report showed $666.44 as the financial value of the year's work. At this meeting ten branches reported.

In this year, East Carolina was set off as a separate Diocese, and soon organized its own Auxiliary, but the number of Branches in our own Diocese grew steadily.

In 1890 the Junior Department of the Auxiliary was established, with Miss Mary E. Horner as its head; and in May, 1891, five Junior Branches reported $272.65 as the sum of their work and boxes. In 1906 there were 34 Branches with 713 members, and the sum of $778.00 reported as the year's work of the Juniors. We may well be proud of them

In 1895, the Missionary Jurisdiction of Asheville was set off, but the Auxiliary seemed to increase by sub-division, as the total sum of the work of the North Carolina Branch in the next year was more than any previous year, $1,913.64.

In 1895 also, the Babies Branch was organized, and the Blessed Babies have been helping the cause finely. Their Directors must tell their history.

In 1896, I was obliged to resign the office of Secretary and Treasurer, and the Bishop appointed Miss Horner as Diocesan Secretary.

It was also then deemed advisable to appoint more officers, the duties having out grown one head, so the Bishop announced this list:

Miss Mary E. Horner, Diocesan Secretary.

Mrs. John Wilkes, Honorary Secretary.

Mrs. Montford McGehee, Raleigh, Sec'y of the Convocation of Raleigh.

Mrs. T. N. Hill, Halifax, Secretary of the Convocation of Tarboro.

Mrs. John Van Landingham, Charlotte, Secretary of the Convocation of Charlotte.

Miss Agnes Hairston, Davie County, Secretary of the Convocation of Salisbury.

Mrs. H. H. S. Handy, Secretary for the Junior Auxiliary.

Mrs. W. J. Smith, Scotland Neck, Directress of the Babies Branch.

The Auxiliary grew and increased under these new heads. Changes were made from time to time, as deaths occured or officers

moved away, but always the sums reported amounted higher, with increase in Branches and in membership.

In 1904, Miss Horner was compelled by ill health to resign her office, and in accordance with the earnest and insistent requests of the Auxiliary, the Bishop appointed Miss Kate Cheshire as her successor as Diocesan Secretary. Mrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn was made President. The following year, in Charlotte 1905, Mrs. Burgwyn resigned, and the Bishop then appointed me as President of the North Carolina Branch. I value this title very highly, because I know it represents the love of the Auxiliary women, as well as my Bishop's regard. But I only consented to hold the office on condition that the Secretaries were to do the work and let me be simply a figure head. I am too old for such work, and besides have much to do in the Church Hospitals in Charlotte.

But it is delightful to meet the Auxiliary women, and I cherish their regard and esteem as most precious. If I can't do much more, I can at any rate cheer you on.

Surely God has been good to us and has helped us in His service. And I trust our Jubilee Offering tomorrow will show our faith and our gratitude.

I have prepared a table which I am sure will interest you. This is the work of 25 years.

Foreign Missions	$ 4,036.93
General Missions	901.46
Domestic Missions	4,644.16
Diocesan Missions	7,385.73
Thompson Orphanage	3,995.88
Central Fund	1,067.70
United Offering since 1893	3,581.95
Apportionment since 1903	607.45
Specials	2,071.55
Church Periodical Club since 1900	152.57
Clergy Retiring Fund since 1904	634.73
Boxes, 561, valued at	13,347.87
	$42,427.98

For the Juniors 17 years of work, they report:

Branches	35
Members	746
General Missions	$ 411.93
Foreign Missions	1,457.94
Domestic Missions	1,266.16
Thompson Orphanage	1,408.67
Diocesan Missions	2,728.12
Clergy Retiring Fund	28.40
Church Periodical Club	33.90
Specials	620.10
Central Fund	239.34
Apportionment	112.66
Boxes, 260, value	1,769.30
United Offering	491.16
	$10,567.68

The Junior Department is to be congratulated on this report. May their Motto ever be—Upward and Onward—and may each year show us more of our young people engaged in Missionary work.

The total amount of the work and gifts of the three Branches of the Auxiliary is, for the Woman's Auxiliary, $42,328.08
Junior Department, 10,567.68
Babies Branch, 1,522.81

Let us pray that our next 25 years' report may at least double this. The need of Missionary effort grows greater daily. Let us see to it that our interest, our gifts and our prayers grow in proportion. We must not relax our efforts, nor indulge in hopes that some one else will give and labor and pray. The work to be performed is OURS, with God's grace and favor to strengthen us.

May God's blessing rest upon the North Carolina Auxiliary, and on each of its members. And may He grant us to meet again —here or hereafter.

Respectfully,
JANE R. WILKES,
President N. C. Branch Woman's Auxiliary.

May 17th, 1907.

Silver Jubilee Offering.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Battleboro	$ 12 00
Enfield	10 25
St. Mary's, Edgecombe	3 60
Halifax	6 20
Jackson	6 00
Lawrence	20 00
Rocky Mount	23 95
Scotland Neck	15 50
Tarborough	91 00
Thelma	2 75
Weldon	10 00
Wilson	8 60
Chapel Hill	6 60
Durham	45 00
Henderson	20 20
Hillsboro	50 00
Oxford	20 00
Duke	6 00
Littleton	5 40
Louisburg	6 25
Middleburg	2 35
Pittsboro	5 75
Christ Church, Raleigh	54 50
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	42 00
St. Mary's, Raleigh	4 25
Ridgeway	2 00
Southern Pines	5 00
Warrenton	15 45
Burlington	25 00
St. Andrew's. Greensboro	13 40
St. Barnabas', Greensboro	7 50
High Point	3 00
Leaksville	7 50
Madison	4 15
Mayodan	6 00
Stoneville	75
Winston	30 00
Bristow	4 45
St. Peter's, Charlotte	35 00
Dilworth	3 00
Monroe	2 00
Wadesboro	15 25
Concord	5 00
Coolemee	3 10
Lexington	3 50
Salisbury	5 00

JUNIORS

Durham	2 00
Hillsboro	15 00
Henderson	1 50
Jackson	60
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	4 75
St Mary's, Raleigh	$ 16 30
Rocky Mount	10 00
Scotland Neck	1 40
Tarborough	10 10
Weldon	1 50
Wilson	7 50
St. Peter's, Charlotte	10 00
St. Mary the Virgin, Charlotte	6 25
St. Andrew's, Greensboro	10 00
Lexington	2 65
St. Mark's, Mecklenburg	1 00
Monroe	2 00
Mayodan	5 00
St. Luke's. Salisbury	2 25
Wadesboro	3 00

BABIES

Convocation of Raleigh	10 00
Convocation of Charlotte	1 00
Tarboro Babies	5 20

INDIVIDUALS

Mrs. Cotter	15 00
Mr. W. A. Erwin	10 00
Mrs. D. Y. Cooper	10 00
Mrs. Erwin Holt	5 00
Mrs. R. H. Lewis	5 00
Mrs. Gant	5 00
Miss Kate Cheshire	5 00
Mrs. Hill Burgwyn	5 00
Mrs. W. S. Clark	5 00
Miss Bessie Jones	2 00
Mrs. R. W Winston	5 00
Miss Annie Nash	1 00
Mrs. Farrar	2 50
Mrs. Curtis	2 00
Miss Sue Curtis	5 00
Mrs. T. A. Marshall	2 50
Mrs. Shannon	1 00
Mrs. J. Smith	1 00
Mrs. Shaw	1 00
Mrs. Parks	20 00
Mr Trott	1 00
Mr. Barber	1 00
Mr. Jacocks	1 00
Collected at Depot	3 52
A Friend through Miss Cheshire	5 00
Mrs. Kingsbury	1 00
Miss Bailey	2 00
Mrs. Philips	1 00
Collected at Church	87 57
	$1,014.29

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NOONDAY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS.

Blessed Saviour, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth Thy loving arms; grant that all mankind may look unto Thee and be saved: through Thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost ever, one God, world without end. Amen.

O Lord, Jesus Christ, who in the days of Thy flesh didst accept the services of faithful women who ministered unto Thee of their substance; be pleased, we humbly ask to bless our endeavors to aid and encourage missionaries. Put into our hearts the things we should do and say to promote Thy glory. Grant that we may never be discouraged under difficulties, but go forward in faith and hope, looking unto Thee. Hear us, and answer this our prayer, for Thine own Name's sake, Amen.

O God, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send Thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off, and to them that are nigh; grant that all men everywhere may seek after Thee and find Thee. Bring the nations into thy fold and add the heathen to Thine inheritance. And we pray Thee shortly to accomplish the number of Thine elect and to hasten Thy kingdom, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

INTERCESSORY DAYS.

The eve of the feasts of:

St. Andrew—Diocesan Missions. At the disposal of Bishop Cheshire.

The Epiphany—Foreign. As designated by the Branch.

The Annunciation—Domestic. At the disposal of the Bishop of Asheville, unless otherwise designated.

The Transfiguration—Thompson Orphanage.

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Diocesan Officers:

President

Mrs. John Wilkes, Charlotte.

Vice-President

Miss Mattie Bailey, Raleigh.

Secretary

Miss Kate Cheshire, Tarborough.

Treasurer

Mrs. Dorian Blair, Greensboro.

Convocational Secretaries

Convocation of Raleigh,
Mrs. R. H. Lewis, Raleigh,
Mrs. R. W. Winston, Durham.

Convocation of Charlotte,
Mrs. John Van Landingham, Charlotte,
Mrs. J. T. Bennett, Wadesboro.

SECRETARY UNITED OFFERING

Miss A. E. Smith, Scotland Neck.

CORRESPONDENT C. P. C.

Miss Rebecca Cameron, Hillsboro.

Junior Department

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH,

Mrs. E. G. Rawlings, Wilson.

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE,

Mrs. M. A. Bland, Charlotte.

Babies' Branch

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH,

Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Louisburg.

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE,

Mrs. Walter J. Smith, Charlotte.

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I. The name of this society shall be The North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

ART. II. The object of this society is threefold—viz:—Prayer for Missions, Study of Missions and Work for Missions.

ART. III. The officers of this society shall be as follows, a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, four Convocational Secretaries; two Secretaries and Treasurers for the Juniors and two for the Babies' Branch; Secretaries for the United Offering, and C. P. C.

ART. IV. All the women of the Church are, by baptism, entitled to be members of the Woman's Auxiliary, and this active membership shall be recognized by annual contributions to the Central Fund.

ART. V. There shall be an annual meeting of this society; time and place to be decided by the executive board.

ART. VI. The Diocesan officers constitute the executive board and, under the Bishop, direct the work of this Branch of the Auxiliary.

ART. VII. This Constitution my be altered by a two-thirds vote of any Annual Meeting.

BY LAWS.

1. It shall be the duty of the President to call meetings, preside over them, and have general oversight of the whole work.
2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to act in the absence of the President.
3. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to conduct the correspondence of the society; to prepare for the Bishop and the Diocesan Convention an Annual Report of the work of the Auxiliary and to have printed for circulation a report of the work and of the Annual Meeting.
4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all moneys and disburse the same.
5. It shall be the duty of the Convocational Secretaries to keep in touch with the existing branches and to form new ones.
6. It shall be the duty of the Secretaries and Treasurers of the Junior Auxiliary and of the Babies' Branch to have the oversight of the work in their Branch; to receive all moneys and pay out the same by April 15th; and to send an annual report to the Secretary.
7. It shall be the duty of the Secretary for the United Offering to arouse interest in the fund by correspondence and the circulation of literature.
8. All moneys shall be paid quarterly to the Treasurer; the last payments to be made not later than the 15th of April.

REPORT

of the Diocesan Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Bishop at the Convention held in Raleigh, May 6 7-8th, 1908.

Rt. Rev. Father in God:

The past year, so memorable in the history of our Church in America, has been most stimulating to the members of the Woman's Auxiliary. At Richmond, Williamsburg and Jamestown our Diocesan Branch had the privilege of taking part in the glorious services commemorating the bringing of Christianity to our own country;—and at our great Triennial Meeting we added $1,466.47 to the United Offering which is to help carry our Christianity to the uttermost parts of the earth.

For the past two years there has been almost no change in us externally; the same Diocesan Officers have done the same work on the same general lines. Happy that body which has no history! We deeply regret the continued ill health of our valued Correspondent of tne Church Periodical Club—Miss Rebecca Cameron—and her kinswoman, Mrs. Bennehan Cameron, has been appointed to take up this work with her.

Six new branches have been added to our list, Smithfield, Christ Church, Rowan, Ansonville and Statesville have organized branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, and at Walnut Cove and the State Normal College branches of the Junior Auxiliary have been formed.

Immediately after the General Convention your Secretary made a most interesting missionary journey of six weeks through the middle and western portions of the diocese; visiting parishes and Missions, reviving old branches and organizing new ones. If the help and encouragement given equalled that which was received, then I trust the journey has accomplished good.

In figures, our work for the year has been as follows:

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Central Fund	$ 79.15		
United Offering	497.64		
Diocesan Missions	502.09		
Domestic Missions	704.38		
Foreign Missions	220.08		
Apportionment	122.09		
Church Periodical Club	27.77	Number of Branches	53
Clergy Retiring Fund	146.15		
Specials	446.20		
Collected at Annual Meeting for Miss Hicks' work at at Manilla	17.30	Number of Members	950
Value of Missionary Boxes	756.16		
Total	$3.519.01		

REPORT OF JUNIOR BRANCH.

Central Fund	$ 18.03		
United Offering	47.36		
Diocesan Missions	65.50		
Domestic Missions	206.20	Number of Branches	31
Foreign Missions	46.45		
Apportionment	15.07		
Church Periodical Club	6.00		
Specials	146.84	Number of Members	610
Value of boxes	160.78		
Total	$ 712.23		

REPORT OF BABIES' BRANCH.

Central Fund	$ 8.39		
United Offering	9.00		
United Work of Babies	3.00		
Diocesan Missions	29.00		
Domestic Missions	87.71	Number of Branches	39
Foreign Missions	56,00		
General Missions	10.00		
Specials	15.25	Number of Members	447
Apportionment	10 00		
Clergy Retiring Fund	25.00		
Total	$253.35		

Number of Branches in Woman's Auxiliary and Junior Departments.....123
Number of members.....2007
Whole Amount of Offering.....$4,484.59

Last year I asked the women of the diocese for a special Jubilee Offering of one thousand dollars. I now report one thousand and fifty dollars as the result of that appeal. It has been decided by the Bishop and the Diocesan Officers to give this sum to the Mission at Selma; and with the help of the earnest Church people there we are now building a Chapel. This is to be known as St. Gabriel's Church, and will be a permanent memorial of our Jubilee. And as the angel Gabriel carried the glad tidings of the Saviour's coming to the Virgin Mother—so will St. Gabriel's Church fulfil its heavenly mission, and carry the glad tidings of the Saviour to all who worship within its walls.

As beautiful as this memorial is to us, we have a still greater cause of thankfulness; for at our Jubilee service we gave not only of our means but of OURSELVES. May the same Spirit which prompted one of our number to offer herself for the mission field inspire each one of us with greater love and greater zeal.

Respectfully submitted,
KATE CHESHIRE, Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT 1907-1908.

Diocesan—Bishop Cheshire's disposal		$ 233.18
	Roanoke Rapids	62.95
	Duke	15.55
	St. Mary's ,Edgecombe	11.55
	Coolemee	8.80
	Mayodan	108,65
	Charlotte Missions	18.55
Domestic—Thompson Orphanage		324.09
	Bishop Horner's disposal	152.95
	Bishop Grey—Southern Florida	31.25
	St. Agnes' Hospital—St. Augustine's School	20.00
	Alaska	45.03
	St. Paul's School—Beaufort	78.75
Foreign — Miss Babcock's salary, Japan		60.86
	Bishop Cheshire Scholarship—Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	55.64
	Lindsay Patton Scholarship—Bishop McKim's disposal—Japan	24.00
	China	34.50
	Foreign Missions	43.83
Apportionment—General Missions		123.59
Church Periodical Club		25.77
Clergy Retiring Fund Society		146.15
Specials		412.90
	Total	$2,038,54

UNITED OFFERING.

Balance 1906-1907	$ 905.21
May to October, Woman's Auxiliary	427.01
May to October, Interest	18.22
Total	1,351,44
Juniors	84.07
Babies	30.96
Grand total	$1,466.47

(Miss Emery's last report of N. C., $1,573.20 this makes the amount sent in by Colored Con. $106.83)

Received from the Woman's Auxiliary since October.....$80.30

CENTRAL FUND.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Balance 1907	$106.57	Miss Jarvis' expenses	$ 40.00
Woman's Auxiliary	78.75	Printing	59.50
Junior—Raleigh Convocation (Miss Jarvis')	10.00	Miss Cheshire (Postage)	15.50
Total	$195.32	Miss Smith (Postage)	2.00
	123.10	Miss Orr Postage)	1.00
Balance	$ 72.22	Miss Cameron (Postage)	2.00
		Mrs. Blair (Postage)	3.10
		Total	$123.10

SPECIALS.

Annie Cheshire Fund	$266.10
Laura Lemly Scholarship, Balsam, N. C.	10.00
Mr. Ancell's work—China	5.00
Bishop Rowe's disposal, Alaska	6.00
Domestic Missions	25.00
Convocation of Charlotte	13.25
Bishop Partridge, Kyoto	.65
Spring Hope, N. C.	15.10
Miss Hick's work, Manilla	22.50
St. John's—Shanghai	1.00
Bats' Cove, N. C.	5.00
St. Jame's, Iredell County	5.00
St. Saviour, Raleigh, N. C.	5.00
Franklin, Va.	1.00
Jurisdiction of Mexico	5.00
Aldert Smedes Scholarship, Shanghai	5.00
Collected at Annual Meeting—Miss Hick's work	17.30
Emily Farish Holt Scholarship, Shanghai	25.00
Total	$412.90

ADELINE CLEVELAND BLAIR,
Treasurer.

MINUTES OF OFFICERS' MEETING.

The Diocesan Officers of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary met at Dr. Pittenger's, Thursday morning. May 7th, 1907.

There were present:

Mrs. John Wilkes, President,
Miss Mattie Bailey, Vice-President,
Miss Kate Cheshire, Secretary,
Mrs. Dorian Blair, Treasurer,
Mrs. R. H. Lewis,
Mrs. John T. Bennett,
Miss Addie Smith,
Mrs. E. G. Rawlings,
Mrs. Frank Spruill.

Mrs. Wilkes spoke of a letter she had received from Miss Emery and asked that it be read on Friday, to which all agreed.

"The Spirit of Missions" was then referred to, and the officers earnestly hope this most interesting and valuable magazine be taken by each member of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Miss Smith called our attention to a spiritual and missionary organization called "The Church League of the Baptized," having for its object the increase of gifts for our aged and infirm clergy.

Mrs. Wilkes asked that all woman's work, of whatever kind. should be reported through the Auxiliary, this not including, of course, strictly parish work.

Mrs. Benehan Cameron was welcomed and joined with us in some matters pertaining to the Church Periodical Club.

Miss Cheshire spoke freely of Miss Rebecca Cameron, Secretary of the Church Periodical Club, and of her long and faithful service in that most important work.

Mrs. Wilkes told us of the great need of a church in Hamlet, N. C., and said the few zealous workers now have a lot for that purpose and the positive promise of one thousand dollars.

Miss Cheshire thought it distressing that the Branches do so little for Diocesan Missions and showed, by the statistics, that the Woman's Auxiliary does more for Foreign and Domestic Missions than those in our own Diocese. Mrs. Wilkes urged that Branches shall be thoroughly informed about this matter, as our Missionaries in some points cannot be retained unless money is forthcoming to pay them.

Mrs. Spruill thought it better hereafter, that all pledges be made after the Annual Meeting instead of before. This was approved.

Mrs. Blair and Miss Cheshire spoke with regret of the slow

way in which reports come in from the Branches. This causes much delay in making their respective reports.

The officers then adjourned to meet with the Auxiliary in Christ Church Chapel at 4:00 P. M. to hear an address by Miss I. P. Mann, a Missionary to Japan.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. R. H. LEWIS,
Secretary pro tempore.

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MINUTES.

The twenty-sixth Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of N. C. opened in Christ Church Chapel, Friday morning, May 8th, at 10:00 o'clock with the singing of Hymn 252, followed by prayers said by Bishop Cheshire.

In a few apt, touching words the Bishop spoke our appreciation of the presence of Mrs. John Wilkes, and mentioned the fact that he and Mrs. Wilkes were present at the first annual meeting of the Auxiliary in this Diocese. The Bishop also brought to our attention the happy state of harmony in the ranks of our church, and urged us not to forget that we are a missionary organization. He gave us thanks for help in his work, particularly for the Annie Cheshire fund, our thank offering for one of our number who has given herself, in her lovely youth, to the work of Christ in distant fields. He spoke of these funds as ample, but Mrs. Wilkes voiced our thoughts when she replied that we wished always to keep Miss Annie Cheshire's work in our hearts and on our pledge list.

Mrs. Wilkes read no formal report, but gave us words of encouragement and help.

Our tireless and capable Treasurer, Mrs. Blair, read her report which is given in full. The reports have come in very slowly this year, a number of sums failing to be included in Mrs. Blair's report.

Our gifts at "Bishop Cheshire's disposal" have fallen off, but the sum total shows a slight increase, owing to the hearty response to the "Annie Cheshire fund."

We were delighted to give Mrs. Blair a rising vote of thanks for her year's work, and hope next year, by promptness in sending reports, to give her less trouble.

Mrs. Lewis made a verbal report of work in the District of Wake—Mrs. Winston was detained in Durham by sickness, we missed her and her report.

Mrs. Van Landingham reported by letter, which letter Mrs. Bennett combined with her report.

In the Charlotte Convocation three new Branches have been organized, viz:—Holy Trinity, Statesville, All Souls, Ansonville and the new Mission at Hamlet.

It is always a sincere pleasure to share in Miss Addie Smith's enthusiasm concerning the United Offering and this year was no exception. North Carolina Branch Woman's Auxiliary made a good offering at the Triennial service in Richmond, Va., last October.

The report of the Church Periodical Club was embodied in a letter from Miss R. Cameron. Miss Cameron feels discouraged over the year's work. Her labors, under great difficulties, should be an inspiration to us all.

Miss Cheshire spoke of the help given in work among mill operatives by the C. P. Club.

Miss Mann, at home from work in Japan, told of the soldiers' reading room which was conducted in one of the rooms in her Japanese home. She said, to our surprise, that a very large percentage of the Japanese can read English. The books and periodicals sent her make quite a circuit and, finally, find their way to the Seaman's Mission in Yokohama.

We adjourned, in a body, at 11:00 o'clock to the Church of the Good Shepherd where the report of our Diocesan Secretary was read by Rev. Alfred Berkeley. At the conclusion of this reading Mr. Richard Battle asked that report be received by the convention with great gratification and thanks be given the Woman's Auxiliary for their noble work—seconded by Mrs. S. S. Nash, passed by rising vote.

On returning to Christ Church Chapel, routine business was taken up and report from Mrs. M. A. Bland, Secretary Junior Department in the Convocation of Charlotte, was read by Miss Cheshire. Mrs. Bland finds interest well sustained in her field, two new Branches having been organized by Miss Cheshire, one at Walnut Cove, another at the State Normal College, Greensboro. From the latter we hope great things, knowing the enthusiastic nature of school girls.

Mrs. Rawlings, Secretary Junior Department, in the Raleigh Convocation, gave a full, interesting account of work accomplished during the past year and urges forward movement on her Juniors for another year.

The report of Mrs. Spruill, Secretary Babies' Branch, Convocation of Raleigh, was complete and satisfactory. 384 babies are represented by $187.98, this being $31.00 increase over last year.

Mrs. Bridgers read report of Mrs. W. J. Smith, our Secretary Babies Branch, Convocation of Charlotte. Total amount

$65.00 going in many directions. The names in the "Memorial Circle" were read.

A letter of greeting from Miss Emery was read by Mrs. Bennett. Miss Emery asked that we take deeper interest in mission study, that we try to bring into Auxiliary relations scattered, isolated, baptized women all over our country, and that we make united prayers that God will put it into the hearts of many of his faithful servants to offer themselves for Mission work before our next united service in 1910.

Noonday prayer for Missions said by Mrs. Wilkes.

Amendment to By Law No. 8 was proposed by Mrs. Blair, seconded by Miss A. E. Smith. This amendment was carried and the By Law now stands, "All money shall be paid quarterly to the Treasurer, the last payment to be made not later than April 15th."

A letter from one of the earnest workers at Hamlet was read by Mrs. Bennett. This letter contained a clear, convincing statement of the aims and needs of this mission.

Mrs. Iredell and Miss Shaw spoke briefly on the subject, and a motion was made, and carried, that we put Hamlet on our next pledge list. On motion of Mrs. Wall, Durham, a collection was taken for the work at Hamlet. This collection amounted to $40.00; later St. Paul's Branch Woman's Auxiliary, Winston, promised $50.00 for the church at Hamlet.

Miss Cheshire made a report of the Silver Jubilee Fund:

Raleigh Convocation	$ 697.45
Charlotte Convocation	235.25
Collection	93.00
Contribution and Interest	24.30
Total	$1,050.00

Miss Cheshire reserved $50.00 to pay for chancel windows in our "Silver" Chapel, Selma, N. C., and gave Rev. Mr. Hauff a check for $1,000.00. Mr. Hauff gave a full account of the use of the money. Work is going on now and the chapel will cost about $1,700.00. He showed the plans of this chapel and hopes that we may see it consecrated next Fall. Mr. Hauff was particularly happy and thankful in his remarks.

Revision of our pledge list followed.

In Diocesan work, at the request of Rev. Mr. Joyner, the help hitherto given to Roanoke Rapids will be transferred to Littleton, N. C. Hamlet added.

Domestic Missions list remains unchanged.

Foreign Missions received the addition of Miss Mann's work in Northern Japan. An important special is the "Annie Cheshire Fund."

Miss Addie Smith spoke briefly on the importance of arous-

ing interest in the United Offering. Her hope is that we may bring every baptized woman in the Diocese in touch with the United Offering, so that by 1910 we may all be able to say "our" United Offering.

Adjourned till 4:00 P. M.

The afternoon session was opened by the singing of Hymn 253. This was followed by roll call of the Parish Branches, many of the delegates as their Parishes were called, giving concise facts and helpful ideas about Auxiliary work.

Rev. Alfred Berkeley of Mayodan, made a talk about his work, showing pictures of his "plant," choir and many other interesting features. We always listen with pleasure to Mr. Berkeley.

The Sunday School is the main work in Mayodan, there being 175 names on the roll and 6 teachers. This Sunday School is made attractive with banners, badges and rewards of of various kinds. Mr. Berkeley is ably assisted by Mr. Willcox and Miss Karrer, to both of whom he gives unstinted praise. They conduct a night school and the week is full of meetings of all kinds. Their aim is to build up a church congregation on a sure, enduring foundation. Miss Karrer is a United Offering worker, but Mr. Berkeley needs funds at once for other expenses. His congregation pay $400 towards their Ministers salary, and a total of $725.00 was raised in Mayodan during the past year.

Rev. Bruce Owens was the next speaker and he made an earnest, moving plea for the work of our church in Spring Hope, —this is a town of 1500 inhabitants between Rocky Mount and Louisburg. It is a fine point for church work and Mr. Owens needs $800.00 at once, for the purchase of suitable property for a church. Miss Bailey received pledges for the work at Spring Hope.

Rev. Francis Moore Osborne was then heard in a new kind of appeal, a horse for a faithful missionary who is unable to procure one and has, literally, walked himself sick. This is Mr. Percy Eubanks, serving as catechist in Mecklenburg County.

Mrs. Margie Busbee Shipp made an earnest plea for Christ School, Arden, North Carolina, established by Rev. Thos. Wetmore. Her account of the death of Mr. Wetmore and the determination of his wife to continue the school touched all hearts. Mrs. Wetmore needs our prayers, sympathy, and help in carrying on this work.

Rev. Chas. Fetter, returned to N. C. after several years spent in Virginia, gave us a brief account of his work in Hamlet and the increasing need of a permanent place of worship in this new and growing town.

Roanoke Rapids was represented by Miss Effie Waldo, a United Offering teacher.

A rising vote of thanks to the Raleigh women was heartily given by the delegates attending this annual meeting.

We think we can have no greater pleasure than to return in 1909.

This was a remarkably interesting session and seemed to accomplish good work. Some of the most striking features were the earnest speeches from the young clergy and the great stress laid on strengthening the hands of those who work in our own Diocese.

The singing of Hymn 249 closed our meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
KATE SHEPHERD BENNETT,
Recording Secretary.

Besides the regular business sessions two special services were held for the members of the Auxiliary. On Wednesday evening, at St. Mary's Chapel, the Junior Auxiliary held a service and addresses were made by the Rev. Mr. Bost and the Rev. Mr. Mallinkrodt. On Friday evening, at the Church of the Good Shepherd, a great missionary meeting was held in which the members of the Diocesan Convention joined. Addresses were made, with special reference to the work of the Auxiliary, by the Rev. Francis Osborne, the Rev. Mr. Owens and Mr. Walker—missionary from China.

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES AND OFFICERS.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE.

Battleboro—St. John's
Mrs. H. B. Marriott, President; Miss Mary Philips, Secretary and Treasurer.

Enfield—Church of the Advent
Mrs. H. S. Harrison, President; Mrs. Frank Pippen, Vice-President; Mrs. E. W. Simpson, Secretary and Treasurer.

Edgecombe—St. Mary's
Mrs. Dorsey Parker, Secretary.

Halifax—St. Mark's
Mrs. T. W. Fenner, President; Mrs. George Gilliam, Secretary and Treasurer.

Jackson—Church of the Saviour
Mrs. L. H. Whitfield, President; Miss S. E. Peebles, Vice-President; Miss Harriet Bowen, Secretary and Treasurer.

Lawrence—Grace Chapel
Mrs. A. D. Knight, President; Mrs. Williams, Vice-President; Mrs. Cary Lawrence, Secretary and Treasurer.

Roanoke Rapids—
Mrs. Walter C. Edwards, President; Mrs. J. L. Patterson, Vice-President; Miss Effie Waldo, Secretary and Treasurer.

Rocky Mount—Good Shepherd
Mrs. B. H. Bunn, President; Mrs. D. W. Thorpe, Vice-President; Mrs. E. G. Muse, Secretary and Treasurer.

Scotland Neck—Trinity
Miss A. E. Smith, President; Mrs. H. I. Clark, Vice-President; Mrs. Rebe Shields, Secretary; Miss N. E. Smith, Treasurer.

Tarboro—Calvary
Mrs. John W. Cotten, President; Mrs. Charles Parks, Vice-President; Miss A. C. Parker, Secretary; Mrs. R. I. Farrar, Treasurer.

Thelma—St. Luke's
Miss Ida Pugh, Secretary and Treasurer.

Weldon—Grace
Mrs. Eva Davis, President; Mrs. T. C. Harrison, Vice-President; Mrs. E. G. Taylor, Secretary; Mrs. C. L. Clark, Treasurer.

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Mrs. H. G. Connor, President; Mrs. T. A. Cheatham, Vice-President; Mrs. Minnie H. Murray, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE.

Chapel Hill—Chapel of the Cross
Mrs. J. C. McRae, President; Mrs. J. H. Pratt, Vice-President; Mrs. R. W. Prince, Secretary; Miss Nellie Barbee, Treasurer.

Durham—St. Philip's
Mrs. W. L. Wall, President; Mrs. Saunders, Vice-President; Mrs. L. A. Carr, Secretary and Treasurer.

Henderson—Holy Innocents
Mrs. W. W. Parker, President; Mrs. A. J. Harris, Vice President; Miss Jessica R. Smith, Secretary; Mrs. W. H. McNair, Treasurer.

Hillsboro—St. Matthew's
Miss Henrietta Collins, President; Mrs. Wm. Hayes, Vice-President; Miss Rebecca Cameron, Secretary; Miss Lily Hamilton, Treasurer.

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Mrs. N. M. Ferebee, President; Miss M. E. Horner and Miss M. B. Hilliard, Vice-Presidents; Mrs. J. C. Horner, Secretary; Mrs. Louis DeLaCroix, Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF WAKE.

Duke—
Miss Annie Wetmore, President; Miss Carrie Herndon, Secretary and Treasurer.

Littleton—St. Alban's
Miss Ruby Vinson, President; Mrs. J. Pippen, Vice-President; Miss Lucy Capehart, Secretary and Treasurer.

Louisburg—St. Paul's
Mrs. John London, President; Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Secretary; Mrs. Wm. H. Ruffin, Treasurer.

Middleburg—Church of the Heavenly Rest
Mrs. Herbert Church, President; Mrs. Fannie A. Carrol, Secretary; Mrs. Thos. H. Carroll, Treasurer.

Pittsboro—St. Bartholomew's
Mrs. S. J. Haughton, President; Mrs. Wm. London, Secretary and Treasurer.

Raleigh—Christ Church
Mrs. Parker, President; Mrs. F. H. Busbee, Vice-President; Mrs. Wm. Stone, Secretary; Mrs. K. P. Battle, Jr., Treasurer.

Raleigh—Good Shepherd
Mrs. I. McK. Pittenger, President; Miss Mattie H. Bailey, Vice-President; Mrs. Jas. E. Shepherd, Secretary; Mrs. J. B. Cheshire, Treasurer.

Raleigh—St. Mary's
Miss Eleanor W. Thomas, President; Miss J. B. Sutton, Vice-President; Miss Kate McKimmon, Secretary; Miss A. B. Smith, Treasurer.

Raleigh—St. Saviour's

Ridgeway—Good Shepherd
Miss Lucy Edwards, Secretary and Treasurer.

Smithfield—
Mrs. Holt, President; Mrs. Ed. Pou, Secretary and Treasurer.

Southern Pines—Emmanuel
Mrs. G. H. Locey, President; Mrs. Chatfield, Secretary; Mrs. Florence E. Beck, Treasurer.

Warrenton—Emmanuel
Mrs. A. E. Jones, President; Mrs. H. L. Falkener, Secretary; Miss Nannie White, Treasurer.

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD.

Germantown—
Miss Mollie Hill, Secretary and Treasurer.

Winston—St. Paul's
Mrs. J. C. Buxton, President; Mrs. Pride Jones, Vice-President; Mrs. Clement Manly, Secretary and Treasurer.

Burlington—St. Athanasius
Mrs. Finly Williamson, President; Mrs. Gant, Vice-President; Mrs. Erwin Holt, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Mrs. Dorian Blair, President; Mrs. N. A. Stedman, Vice-President; Mrs. Joseph Dean, Secretary; Mrs. Maria Pope, Treasurer.

Greensboro—St. Barnabas
Mrs. M. D. A. Staples, President; Mrs. S. G. Taylor, Vice President; Mrs. A. L. Joyner, Secretary; Mrs. K. A. McDuffie, Treasurer.

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Mrs. W. L. Mellichampe, President; Mrs. Galt, Vice-President; Mrs. Tidman, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Mrs. W. S. Martin, President; Mrs. S. L. Martin, Vice-President; Mrs. Percy Williams, Secretary; Mrs. Geo. Ivie, Treasurer.

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Mrs. J. M. Gallaway, President; Mrs. Pratt, Vice-President; Mrs. John Roach, Secretary and Treasurer.

Mayodan—Church of the Messiah
Mrs. Wm. C. Ruffin, President; Mrs. John Ault, Secretary and Treasurer.

Statesville—
Mrs. D. M. Coiner, President; Mrs. T. M. Miller, Secretary and Treasurer.

Stoneville—Emmanuel
Miss Annie L. Smith, President; Miss L. M. Stephens, Secretary and Treasurer.

Walnut Cove—Christ Church
Mrs. Blackburn, Vice-President; Miss Maggie Adams, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG.

Bristow—St. Mark's
Mrs. B. F. Houston, President; Miss Fannie Whitley, Vice-President; Mrs. Percy Eubanks, Secretary and Treasurer, Huntersville, N. C.

Charlotte—St. Peter's
Mrs. M. A. Bland, President; Mrs. Harris Mallinckrodt, Vice-President; Mrs. W. J. Smith, Secretary; Miss Laura Orr, Treasurer; Mrs. W. R. Tallieferro, Assistant Treasurer; Miss M. L. Brown, Secretary U. O.

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Mrs. J. F. Yorke, Vice-President; Mrs. S. A. Van Every, Secretary; Miss Mildred Bispham, Treasurer.

Monroe—St. Paul's
Mrs. J. M. Fairley, President; Mrs. Geo. Redfern, Vice-President; Mrs. J. D. Parker, Secretary and Treasurer.

Wadesboro—Calvary
Mrs. J. T. Bennett, President; Mrs. T. A. Marshall, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Advance—Ascension Mission
Miss Ruth Hairston, Secretary, Miss Agnes Hairston, Treasurer.

Rowan—Christ Church
Mrs. Brown, President; Miss Mary Barbee, Secretary and Treasurer.

Ansonville—All Souls
Mrs. L. L. Little, President; Mrs. R. R. Phelps, Vice-President; Miss McIntosh, Secretary; Miss Irene Keelyn, Treasurer.

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Mrs. Jas. Gibson, President; Mrs. M. L. Brown, Vice-President; Mrs. Geo. J. Bair, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Mrs. J. H. L. Rice, President; Mrs. J. D. Jones, Vice-President; Miss Ola Brown, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Mrs. G. W. Montcastle, President; Mrs. Joel Hill, Secretary and Treasurer.

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Mrs. F. J. Murdock, President; Mrs. Isenhour, Vice-President; Mrs. Mary O. Linton, Secretary; Miss Mary Evans, Treasurer.

REPORT OF UNITED OFFERING FOR 1907-1908.

At our last meeting we were celebrating our Silver Jubilee, and summing up what had been accomplished in those twenty-five years, but it was not fully completed until the United Offering of $1,573.20 was given at Richmond. Now we are starting on another epoch of our Auxiliary Work in the Diocese of North Carolina. Let us make it a forward movement. If each branch will try to get every woman in her parish to put her name on the United Offering list, pledging to give her prayers, her interest, and some offering to this cause it will bring a blessing to her own life as well as the objects for which we are working. I have written to all the branches on this subject, so they can be prepared to discuss it, and form some plan for our growth. In his address at Richmond, Dr. Lloyd spoke of the glowing tribute which the women in foreign lands paid to those Americans, the Auxiliary, the Juniors, the Babies Branch, who sent them the means to lighten their darkness with tidings of "The Light of the World." We want all the women to have a share in those grateful thanks. Dear friends, let us realize, that when "Before our Father's throne we pour united prayers," that the result will be "The fellowship of Christian minds is like to that above."

ADELAIDE E. SMITH,

May 8th, 1908. Secretary United Offering.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE

				DIOCESAN								DOMESTIC								FOREIGN												
	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Intercessory Col.	Roanoke Rapids	Duke	St. Mary's Edgecombe	Mayodan	Coolemee	Charlotte Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Intercessory Col.	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Intercessory Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	Beaufort	Alaska	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Foreign	Epiphany Intercessory Col.	Apportionments	C. P. C.	C. R. F.	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Battleboro	9	$ 65	$ 10 40		$ 60	$ 50	$ 50	$ 60	$ 50	$ 60	$ 50	$ 8 30	$ 2 25		$ 1 10								$ 65			$ 7 50	$ 34 45	1	$ 18 46	$ 52 91
Enfield	11	1 10	11 55	5 00		20 00																6 00		6 00		5 00	3 75	56 40			56 40
St. Mary's, Edgecombe	8			1 00																								1 00	1	1 25	2 25
Halifax	5	50		1 00		1 00	25	26	25	26		1 00		1 00							1 00					3 00	2 00	11 50			11 50
Jackson	13	1 30	13 50			5 00						5 00		3 00						2 00				2 50		1 30	3 10	36 80			36 80
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Roanoke Rapids	8	2 00		2 50		2 00	25	25	25	25	25	2 00														2 00		11 75			11 75
Rocky Mount	26	2 00	8 00	5 00	1 00	25	25	25	25	25	25	5 00	1 55	2 50	1 42	2 60			5 00	5 00	5 00	2 50	10	5 00		12 00	15 00	80 07			80 07
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Tarborough	57	5 70	28 00	25 00	3 45	1 00	1 00	1 00	11 00	1 00	1 00	10 00	1 50	7 00	6 05	5 00			5 00	8 00	5 00		166	12 00		15 00	10 00	164 46	1	81 16	195 62
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Total	244	$18 76	$ 103 37	$ 48 57	$ 9 10	$51 45	$ 3 25	$ 8 25	$ 67 25	$2 25	$ 2 00	$ 82 65	$ 6 30	$ 22 50	$12 24	$ 8 50	$ 1 00	$ 2 00	$15 00	$18 11	$15 75	$ 8 60	$ 4 23	$ 28 79	$ 2 62	$ 43 90	$ 43 45	$ 624 68	7	$ 155 02	$ 779 70

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE

Chapel Hill	17	$ 1 70	$ 5 00	$ 2 00	$	$ 60	$ 50	$ 50	$ 50	$ 60	$ 50	$ 10 00	$	$ 2 00	$	$	$	$10 00	$	$ 50	$ 3 00	$	$	$ 8 00	$	$	$ 12 00	$ 53 20		$	$ 53 20
Durham	34	7 90	47 50	15 00								25 00		30 00		3 00		5 00		5 00	5 00	6 00		5 00	2 00	12 00	39 25	206 65	1	27 00	233 65
Henderson	70	2 80	14 53	5 00	1 29	10 00			5 00			40 00	1 19	5 00	85	5 00	5 00	10 00	5 00	5 00		6 00	1 66	5 00	1 00	12 00	21 50	161 72	3	66 00	227 72
Hillsboro	25	2 50	33 50	10 00	4 50	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	5 00	5 50	2 50	2 60	2 50	2 50	2 00	3 00	1 50	1 50	3 50	2 00	2 00	3 00	12 00	20 00	127 60	1	50 00	177 60
Oxford	15	1 50	10 50	10 00		5 00	1 80	1 80	1 80	1 80	1 80	10 00	2 00	10 00	50	2 50	2 50	1 00	1 00	2 50	2 50	2 50		15 00	1 50	12 00	3 50	105 00			105 00
Total	161	$16 40	8 112 03	$ 42 00	$ 5 79	$16 50	8 3 30	$ 3 30	$ 8 30	$3 30	$ 3 30	$ 90 00	$ 8 69	$ 49 50	$ 3 95	$13 00	$10 00	$28 00	$ 9 00	$14 60	$12 00	$16 00	$ 8 68	$ 30 00	$ 7 50	$ 48 00	$ 96 25	$ 651 17	6	$ 143 00	$ 797 17

DISTRICT OF WAKE

Duke	10	$ 1 10	$ 2 57	$ 1 00	$	$ 25	8	$ 1 00	$ 25	25	$ 25	$ 1 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 1 00	$	$	8	$	$	$ 1 00	$ 9 67		$	$ 9 57
Littleton	15	1 50	12 40	3 21											1 90									15 00				34 01			34 01
Louisburg	11	1 00	6 20	10 00	97	2 00	1 00	1 00				25 00	1 00	10 00	40				5 00	5 00		1 00	76	2 00		12 00	5 50	90 32			90 32
Middleburg	7		4 00		1 60	2 75	25	25	25	25	25																2 00	11 50	2	15 47	28 97
Pittsboro	10		3 00		1 00	50	50	50	50	50	50	18 85	1 00		1 00			50					1 00	1 00				30 35	1	13 00	43 35
Raleigh, Christ Church	40	4 00	47 40	10 00	1 25	6 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00			5 15				20 00		10 00	5 00	5 00			3 00	5 00	51 00	177 80	1	15 00	192 80
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	55	5 00	70 60	10 00	1 00				5 00			10 00	1 05	5 00	2 05	5 00	6 00	10 00	5 00	6 00	6 00	10 00	2 01	10 00	2 50	12 00	40 00	221 21	4	105 57	326 78
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Smithfield	12						5 00					5 00											2 00					12 00			12 00
Southern Pines	16				1 00																							1 00			1 00
Warrenton	25	2 00	12 80	5 00		3 00	50	50	50	50	50	15 00		1 00					1 00		1 00	1 00		3 00		1 00	5 00	53 30	1	62 00	115 30
Total	223	$15 40	$ 163 17	$ 39 46	$ 7 97	$16 50	$ 8 50	$ 4 50	$ 7 75	$2 75	$ 2 75	$ 81 35	$ 3 05	$ 21 65	$ 5 95	$ 5 25	$ 5 00	$35 75	$11 53	$20 25	$12 25	$17 25	$ 5 76	$ 32 80	$ 5 50	$ 32 00	$ 109 50	$ 673 59	9	$ 211 04	$ 884 63

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD

Burlington	16	$	$ 5 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 50 00	$ 65 00		$	$ 65 00
St. Andrew's, Greensboro	37	3 70	17 37	10 00	1 03				10 60			10 00	55	10 00	1 30	2 00		10 00	2 00	3 00			2 28	10 00	6 00	12 00	13 00	124 23	2	85 75	209 98
St. Barnabas, Greensboro	36	3 60	7 00	5 00	4 44				6 00			5 00	5 00	5 00	1 51	3 00	3 00	3 00	5 00	2 00	4 00	10 00	1 45	4 00	3 00	3 00		83 00	1	50 00	133 00
High Point																															
Leaksville	15	1 50	3 50		3 00							5 00		3 00											1 00			17 00			17 00
Madison	9	70		3 90	2 00																							6 60			6 60
Mayodan																															
Statesville																															
Stoneville	3	10	50	25					25			50		25					50	50	50	50		60	25	25	25	5 10	1	10 00	15 10
Walnut Cove																															
Winston	20	2 00	6 00	4 00								6 00		2 00	3 00		1 00		1 00	3 00				5 00		2 00	15 00	48 00			48 00
Germantown																															
Total	138	$11 60	$ 38 37	8 23 15	$10 47	$ 8		$	$ 15 25	$		$ 25 50	$ 5 65	$ 20 25	$ 5 81	$ 5 00	$ 4 00	$13 00	$ 8 50	$ 8 50	$ 4 50	$10 50	$ 3 73	$ 19 50	$10 25	$ 17 25	$ 88 25	$ 348 93	4	$ 145 75	$ 494 68

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG

Bristow	16	$ 1 60	$ 2 20	$ 5 00	$	$	$	8	$	$	$	$ 5 00	$	$	$ 25	8	$	$	8	$	$ 5 00	$	$ 25	$	$	$	$ 5 00	$ 24 30		$	$ 24 30
Charlotte	70	7 00	55 00	25 00	3 75				5 00		15 00		3 15		4 85							25 00	1 00	60 00	2 00			207 75			207 75
Dilworth	16	1 50	2 50	5 00							10 00	5 90																25 00			25 00
Monroe	14	1 40	2 00																								2 00	5 40	3	14 25	19 65
Wadesboro	14	1 40	8 00	5 00	3 25				1 50			11 00	3 45			2 00			1 00	1 00	1 00		1 55	5 00		4 00	6 75	56 00	2	52 10	108 10
Total	131	$13 00	$ 69 70	$ 40 00	$ 7 00	$ 8		$	$ 6 60		$26 00	$ 21 90	$ 6 60	$	$ 5 10	$ 2 00	$	$	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$ 6 00	$25 00	$ 2 80	$ 5 00	$ 2 00	$ 4 00	$ 73 75	$ 318 45	5	$ 66 35	$ 384 80

DISTRICT OF ROWAN

Advance	2	$ 20	$ 1 00	$ 2 00	8	$	8	8	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	8	$ 1 00	$	$	$ 1 00	$	$ 1 00	$ 5 00	$ 11 20		$	$ 11 20
Ansonville	8	80							3 00												2 00							5 80			5 80
Concord	9	1 00	5 00			50	50	50	50	50	50																4 50	13 50	1	35 00	48 50
Coolemee	17			76		25	25	25	25	25	25			1 00													9 50	12 75			12 75
Lexington																															
Christ Church, Rowan				28								3 00									1 89							5 17			6 17
Salisbury	20	2 00	5 00									41 31		3 00						2 50	2 50			5 00			16 00	77 31			77 31
Total	56	$ 4 00	$ 11 00	$ 3 03	$	$ 75	$ 75	$ 75	$ 3 75	$ 75	$ 75	$ 44 31	$	$ 4 00	$	$	$	8	$	$ 3 50	$ 6 39	$	$	$ 6 00	$	$ 1 00	$ 35 00	$ 125 73	1	$ 35 00	$ 160 73

SUMMARY REPORTS

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

District of Edgecombe	244	$18 75	$ 103 37	$ 48 57	$ 9 10	$51 45	$ 3 25	$ 3 25	$ 67 25	82 25	$ 2 00	$ 82 65	$ 8 30	$ 22 50	$12 24	8 8 50	$ 1 00	8 2 00	$15 00	$18 11	$15 75	$ 8 50	$ 4 23	$ 28 79	$ 2 52	$ 43 90	$ 43 45	8 624 68	7	$ 155 02	$ 779 70
District of Granville	161	16 40	112 03	42 00	5 79	16 50	3 30	3 30	8 30	3 30	3 30	90 00	8 69	49 50	3 95	13 00	10 00	28 00	9 00	14 50	12 00	16 00	3 55	30 00	7 50	48 00	96 25	651 17	5	143 00	797 17
District of Wake	223	15 40	163 17	39 46	7 97	16 50	8 50	4 60	7 75	2 75	2 75	81 35	3 05	21 65	6 95	5 25	5 00	35 75	11 53	20 25	12 25	17 25	5 76	32 80	5 50	32 00	109 50	673 59	9	211 04	884 63

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

District of Guilford	136	$11 60	$ 38 87	$ 23 15	$10 47	8	$	$	$ 15 25	$	$	$ 25 50	$ 5 55	$ 20 26	$ 5 81	$ 5 00	$ 4 00	$13 00	$ 8 50	$ 8 50	$ 4 50	$10 50	$ 3 73	$ 19 50	$10 25	$ 17 25	$ 88 25	$ 348 93	4	$ 145 75	$ 494 68
District of Mecklenburg	130	13 00	69 70	40 00	7 00				6 60		26 00	21 90	8 60		5 10	2 00			1 00	1 00	6 00	25 00	2 80	5 00	2 00	4 00	73 75	318 45	5	66 35	384 80
District of Rowan	56	4 00	11 00	3 03		75	75	75	3 75	75	75	44 31		4 00						3 50	6 39			6 00		1 00	35 00	125 73	1	35 00	160 73
Total	950	$79 15	$ 497 61	$ 196 21	$10 33	$85 20	815 80	$11 80	8 108 90	89 05	$34 80	$315 71	$30 19	$ 117 90	833 05	$33 75	$20 00	$78 75	$15 03	$65 86	$56 89	$77 25	$20 08	$ 122 09	$27 77	$ 146 15	$ 446 20	$2745 55	31	$ 756 16	$3501 71

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EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN THE DIOCESE OF N. C.

Six months of continued illness has limited my work to a great extent and the Gen. Secretary in kindly consideration of "mine often infirmities" had the report blanks sent to our Librarians direct and none were returned to me except Christ Church, Raleigh, St. Matthew's, Hillsboro, and two individual contributors—one in Henderson, the other in Chapel Hill.

Only thirteen applications for addresses for new periodicals have been sent to me, and the Librarians who do write to me report the difficulty they have in arousing interest in this branch of our work.

We are sending out regularly 71 periodicals and have distributed over 1600 odd numbers of magazines, and papers, and three boxes of magazines, books and papers. I have written 40 letters and 24 postal cards. We are supposed to have 17 Librarians, I say SUPPOSED because I have letters from so very few that I cannot say who is really holding office.

People do not realize the good they could do and the pleasure they could give. It means so much to those to whom the books go—it is such a wide spreading benefaction—for the periodicals are passed on from hand to hand and often journey hundreds of miles in their circuit.

$25.77 has been sent to the central office for this work.

Respectfully submitted,
REBECCA CAMERON,
Correspondent No. 17, C. P. C.

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES OF THE C. P. C. AND THEIR LIBRARIANS:

No. 1. St. Matthew's Parish, Hillsboro—Miss Helen L. Webb.
No. 2. Christ Church, Raleigh—Miss Emma Karrer.
No. 3. Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh—Miss Annie C. Hill.
No. 4. Holy Innocents, Henderson—Mrs. Maurice O'Neal.
No. 5. Epiphany, Leaksville—Mrs. W. S. Martin.
No. 6. Rockingham Mission—No Librarian.
No. 7. St. Paul's, Monroe—Mrs. S. S. Wolfe.
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No. 15. St. Barnabas, Greensboro—Mrs. Chas. M. Stedman.
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No. 17. St. Mary's School, Raleigh—Miss Kate McKimmon.
No. 18. Emmanuel Mission, Southern Pines—No Librarian.
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No. 22. St. Luke's, Salisbury—No Librarian.
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No. 25. Coolemee Mission—Miss Ruth W. Hairston.
No. 26. High Point—Mrs. E. P. Parker.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

Wilson, N. C., May 6th, 1908.

My Dear Juniors:

During the General Convention at Richmond, Va., a company of junior officers with our secretary Miss Emery decided instead of giving our united gift as a "special" like St. Paul class room, we would suggest giving it as General Missions to China, and thus prove ourselves a real helper or auxiliary to the Board of Missions. The Juniors aspire to give $15.000 for the apportionment to be used in China, and the Juniors of the Diocese of North Carolina are asked for $50.00. You will be pleased to know this Convocation of Raleigh has already sent forward $41.50. Apportionment is a long ugly sounding word, but when we realize it means the money for the work and salary of our Missionaries it holds a real and beautiful meaning for us. The opportunity of giving this united gift to China is a great privilege for every Junior. Let us each one help raise it.

The pledge to Yoshio has been fulfilled according to Mr. Ishii's last report. She is now an educated self supporting Christian Woman. Let us not rest content however reviewing past gifts, but pressing forward avail ourselves of each opportunity to increase the strength and activities of our several branches, remembering always the Church looks to its Junior ranks for future workers.

God asks not only our attention, our prayers and our gifts, but our lives.

Faithfully yours,
SALLY D. RAWLINGS.

LIST OF OFFICERS JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

St. Philip's—Durham
President, Mrs. W. L. Wall; Secretary, Miss Mary M. McGary.

St. Marks—Halifax
Director, Mrs. T. W. Fenner.

St. Matthew's,—Hillsboro
Director, Mrs. Paxson Watters.

Church of Our Saviour—Jackson
Director, Miss Julia Bowen; Secretary, Miss L. H. Whitfield.

St. Paul's—Louisburg
Director, Miss Mary Kerr London.

Christ Church—Raleigh
Directors, Mrs. Chas. Root, Miss Louise Busbee.

Good Shepherd—Raleigh
Director, Mrs. L. J. Skinner; Secretary, Miss Louise Baldwin; Treasurer, Miss Bertha Holomon.

St. Saviour—Raleigh
Directors, Mrs. Joe Marshall, Miss M. A. Jones, Miss M. S. Thompson.

St. Mary's School—Raleigh
Director, Miss Kate McKimmon.

Good Shepherd—Ridgeway
Director, Mrs. Jos. D. Scott; Secretary, Miss Annie Collins.

Good Shepherd—Rocky Mount
Director, Mrs. R. B. Owens.

Holy Trinity—Scotland Neck
Director, Mrs. G. S. White.

Emmanuel—Southern Pines
Rev. Henry T. Gregory.

Holy Innocents—Henderson
Director, Miss Leila Shannon.

Calvary—Tarboro
Director, Miss Mirian Lanier; Secretary, Miss Bessie Ricks.

Gilbert Higgs—Warrenton
Director, Nora L. King.

St. Timothy's—Wilson
Director, Mrs. Jesse B. Williams, Mrs. Harvey MacNair; Secretary, Miss Lorna Hales.

THE REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Diocesan Missions	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Apportionment	C. P. C.	Total	Boxes	Value	Total Value
St. Philips, Durham	14	$ 1 40	$	$	$	$20 00	$	$	$	$	$ 21 40		$	$ 21 40
St. Mark's, Halifax	4							1 00			1 00			1 00
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro	11	1 00	5 00	4 55		25		9 00			19 80			19 80
Our Saviour, Jackson	6	30	60	3 75		1 00	1 00	4 00	65		11 30			11 30
St. Paul's Louisburg	6							1 00			1 00	1	9 05	10 05
Christ Church, Raleigh	14													
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	19	95	5 00		36 00	10 00					51 95			51 95
St. Mary's School, Raleigh	130	5 40	6 00	60 55	11 50	14 55	32 45	32 00	6 35	6 00	174 80	3	25 00	199 80
St. Saviour's, Raleigh	16											1	3 00	3 00
Good Shepherd, Ridgeway	8				2 00		2 00	5 00			9 00	1	7 00	16 00
Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount	16	80		50 50	6 00						57 30	2	37 35	94 85
Holy Trinity, Scotland Neck	40	2 00	2 00	1 00		5 00	2 00	23 05	1 50		35 55			35 55
Emmanuel, Southern Pines	15	1 00	2 00				4 00	6 00			13 00			13 00
Calvary, Tarboro	20	1 00	2 20		10 00	2 00	3 00	3 00			21 20	2	26 45	47 85
St. Timothy's, Wilson	14	70	1 00	9 50			2 00	6 00			19 20			19 20
Gilbert Higgs, Warrenton														
Holy Innocents', Henderson														
St. Stephen's, Oxford														
Mary Lippet, Pittsboro														
Grace C., Weldon														
Total	333	$14 55	$23 80	$ 129 85	$65 50	$52 80	$46 45	$89 05	$ 8 50	$ 6 00	$ 436 50	10	$ 107 85	$ 544 35

TO THE JUNIORS OF THE CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

My Dear Juniors:

Although there are fewer branches reporting this year than last, ten reporting this and twelve last, and the financial showing is poorer yet the majority of branches reporting show an increased interest.

Your offerings have been disbursed as follows, in cash:

Central Fund,	$ 3.48	
United Offering of 1907,	20.04	
United Offering for 1910,	3.52	
Diocesan Missions,	6.00	
Thompson Orphanage,	20.47	
Domestic Missions,	50.68	
Foreign Missions,	3.00	
Annie Webb Cheshire Fund,	4.19	
General Missions,	3.57	
Total		$114.95

Boxes:

Diocesan (4) value	$ 39.93	
Domestic (3) value	13.00	
		$ 52.93
Total,		$167.88

Will you not all help me in the coming year in trying to increase interest in Junior work, both in and out of your own parish? Learn of the work yourself—thus you will become interested and will interest others.

If you know of any one living, where there is no Junior branch who you think might be interested in establishing one, let me know, and I will gladly correspond with her, and give her any information or assistance in my power.

I wish the Juniors could all become imbuded with the "missionary spirit" and realize that the giving of money is not the sole object of Junior work (though we do not underestimate the value of money) but of equal or even greater importance is the training, the gaining knowledge of, the interest in, and the prayers for the missionary work of our church throughout its length and breadth.

Faithfully yours,

Margaret C. Bland,

Sec. Junior Auxiliary Con. of Charlotte.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

Parochial Officers.

Charlotte, (Thompson Orphanage)—St. Mary the Virgin
Director and Treasurer, Rev. W. J. Smith; Vice-Director, Miss Kate Capehart; Secretary, Miss Annie Love Jones.

Charlotte—St. Peters
Director, Mrs. H. C. Jones; Secretary, Miss Alice Moore; Treasurer, Miss Marguerite Springs.

Cooleemee—Good Shepherd
Director. Mrs. Henry Rice.

Greensboro—St. Andrew's
Director, Mrs. W. H. Ballard.

Greensboro—State Normal
President, Miss Susan Nash; Secretary, Miss Eleanor Huske; Treasurer, Miss Margaret Dalton; Librarian C. P. C., Miss Edith Hassell.

Lexington—Grace Church
Director, Mrs. Joel Hill.

Mayodan—Church of the Messiah
Director, Miss Emma Karrer.

Mecklenburg County—St. Mark's
Director, Miss Fannie L. Whitley.

Mocksville—St. Philip's
Director, Mrs. Adolphus Griffin.

Monroe—St. Paul's
President, Miss Katie Fairley; Secretary, Miss Beatrice Dillon; Treasurer, Miss Caroline Parker.

Salisbury—St. Luke's
Director, Miss Carrie Roberts; Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Nicolson; Treasurer, Miss Susie Whitehead.

Wadesboro—Calvary—Bishop Gray Chapter—Two Divisions
Mrs. John T. Bennett, President; Miss Mary Murray, Vice-President; Miss Mary Clifford Bennett, Secretary and Treasurer Girl's Division; Master Joseph Hardison, Secretary Boy's Division.

Walnut Cove—
Director, Miss Rhoda Adams; Secretary, Miss Maybelle Vaughn.

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY, 1907-1908.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering 1907	United Offering 1910	Diocesan Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	Specials	Apportionments	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Charlotte, T. O. St. Mary's the Virgin	65	$ 93	$ 2 08	$ 1 12	$	$	$ 78	$	$ 2 17	$ 1 17	$ 8 25	1	$ 4 00	$ 12 25
Charlotte, St. Peter's S. S.	65	70	7 13	2 40			20 60		1 00	1 00	32 83	4	39 93	72 76
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	12						26 00				26 00			26 00
Lexington, Grace Church S. S.	15					6 00					6 00	1	5 00	11 00
Mayodan, Church of the Messiah	40		1 17			1 17	30		77	40	3 81			3 81
Mecklenburg County, St. Mark's	12	60	1 00			1 40	1 00				4 00			4 00
Mocksville, St. Philip's	1					40			25		65			65
Monroe, St. Paul's			3 00								3 00			3 00
Salisbury, St. Luke's	25		4 66			3 50					8 16			8 16
Wadesboro, Calvary	25	1 25	1 00		6 00	8 00	2 00	3 00		1 00	22 25	1	4 00	26 25
Total	277	$ 3 48	$20 04	$ 3 52	$ 6 00	$20 47	$50 68	$ 3 00	$ 4 19	$ 3 57	$ 114 95	7	$52 93	$ 167 88

Gifts in money 1906-1907	$138 45	
Gifts in money 1907-1908	114 95	
Decrease in gifts of money		$23 50
Value of boxes 1906-1907	61 65	
Value of boxes 1907-1908	52 93	
Decrease in value of boxes		8 72
Total decrease		$32 22

MARGARET C. BLAND,
Secretary.

SUMMARY REPORT OF THE JUNIORS BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Diocesan Missions	Domestic Missions.	Foreign Missions	Specials	Thompson Orphanage	St Augustine's	Apportionment	C. P. C.	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	333	$14 55	$23 80	$59 50	$45 00	$43 45	$ 142 65	$ 89 05	$ 1 00	$11 50	$ 6 00	$ 436 50	10	$ 107 85	$ 544 35
Convocation of Charlotte	277	3 48	23 56	6 00	50 68	3 00	4 19	20 47		3 57		114 95	7	52 93	167 88
Total	610	$18 03	$47 36	$65 50	$95 68	$46 45	$ 146 84	$ 109 52	$ 1 00	$15 07	$ 6 00	$ 551 45	17	$ 160 78	$ 712 23

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BABIES' BRANCH, CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

A MESSAGE TO THE MOTHERS:

Twenty-six years ago a few earnest women organized in North Carolina that branch of the mission work of the church known as the Woman's Auxiliary. A little later, and to meet the needs of the younger women, the Junior Branch began its work in the Diocese. Still later, and as the result of a memorial to a little child in Rochester, N. Y., it was discovered that, in the life and work of the church, there was a place for the babies. Thus the Babies' Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was organized.

Not the least in importance of this trinity of co-operative forces is the Babies' Branch. It is the training school in which the children of the church are taught the great lesson of systematic giving. The infant, clasping in its tiny hand the penny, which all unconscious it gives to God, in the earnest of the grown-up man bringing into the temple his maturer offerings of praise and thanksgiving.

As everything, creature, movement, and enterprise, is made up of little units which have either grown into maturity or been combined, so the mighty organization of the Woman's Auxiliary is now the broadened current that at its source is but the Babies' Branch.

The growth and work of childhood in the church is typified by the bud which is to become the flower; the seed which is to become the tree; the tiny drops of water that form the great ocean.

In the distribution of the fund made up from the baby offerings the importance of baby work is again emphasized. Whether to the frozen north, or to the torrid south; whether to our own orphan babies at Charlotte, or to the fur-wrapped Esquimaux of Alaska; whether to endow an infant's cot in a charity hospital, or to bring succor to an enfeebled clergyman, who from increasing years has passed into a second childhood, this fund—the offering of the babies—returns to the babies of the church.

Should the Father call unto Himself your baby, the pennies it has given during its little life will be working and doing good on the earth, while the baby who gave them is working and singing in the presence of God!

ALICE WINSTON SPRUILL.

Rocky Mount, N. C., Easter, 1908.

STATISTICAL REPORT.

Parishes	27
Baby Helpers	348
Baby Pennies	18,798

The pennies were employed as follows:

Thompson Orphanage, Charlotte	$ 50.00
Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society	25.00
Bishop Atkinson Cot. (Holy Trinity, Tokio, Japan)	20.00
Memorial Kindergarten, Akita, Japan	20.00
Missions in the Convocation of Raleigh	20.00
General Missions	10.00
Valle Crucis	10.00
Mayodan	5.00
Bishop Rowe, Alaska	5.00
Annex to St. Luke's Hospital, San Francisco	5.00
Mission Font	5.00
United Offering	5.00
Apportionment	4.00
Central Fund	3.98
Total	$187.98

"God bless all the missionaries all over the world, and all the little helpers, for Jesus' sake. Amen!"

"And Jesus called a little child unto Him and set him in the midst of them, and said,

"Verily I say unto you, except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.

"Whosoever, therefore, shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

"And whoso shall receive one such little child in My name, receiveth Me."

REPORT OF

MRS. F. S. SPRUILL, SECRETARY AND TREASURER,

Rocky Mount, N. C.

Parish.	Director.	Babies	Amount.
Battleboro	Mrs. H. Marriott	5	$ 9.00
Chapel Hill	Mrs. W. D. Toy	5	2.82
Duke	Miss Carrie Herndon	6	1.00
Durham	Miss Gertrude Winston	15	10.00
Edgecombe Co., St. Mary's	Mrs. O. F. Clark	6	2.25
Enfield	Mrs. W. T. Clement	9	8.01
Henderson	Miss Claudia Hunter	18	7.51
Hillsboro	Mrs. Paxson Watters	11	11.00
Jackson	Miss Julia Bowen	3	50
Kittrell	Miss Cora Hunt	4	2.87
Littleton	Miss Carrie Helen Moore	11	4.55
Louisburg	Mrs. F. S. Spruill	30	21.75
Middleburg	Mrs. H. M. Church	11	3.10
Oxford	Miss Maude Parham	13	8.22
Pittsboro	Mrs. William L. London	5	3.00
Raleigh (Christ)	Miss Mary Porter Ashe	33	11.22
Raleigh (Good Shepherd)	Miss Patty L. Carroll Mrs. William S. West	47	16.00
Ridgeway	Mrs. J. D. Scott	3	1.60
Rocky Mount	Mrs. G. L. Wimberley, Jr.	30	15.00
Scotland Neck	Miss Mary W. Smith	10	5.37
Stovall	Mrs. C. L. Lewis	2	3 00
Selma	Mrs. Robert Ashworth	6	5.20
Tarboro	Miss Annie Gray Nash	40	21.36
Warrenton	Mrs. J. C. Horton	6	3.00
Weldon	Mrs. T. C. Harrison	10	5.50
Wilson	Miss Kate Connor	9	5.15
	Total	348	$ 187.98

"Suffer little children to come unto Me, and forbid them not, for of such is the kingdom of God."

My Dear Little Helpers

So many dear little ones were missing when we came together to count our pennies. Five branches sent not one member! Now, what are we to do? Why, let the director, each secretary, and each mother decide just how far the fault is hers, and let us all determine that, by renewed efforts and more earnest prayers, the next report may show many new members, many gifts and much work—for there is so much work waiting for us to do. But one penny a week from a great many babies, blessed by prayer, can accomplish such a big part of it.

Our Heavenly Father has, this past year, taken from us our devoted secretary in Dilworth, Mrs. M. B. Davis, and four little members. And since her offering was sent, another life-long member has been called Home. Our Memorial Circle numbers fourteen, and these gifts with a little added, have gone to the Thompson Orphanage.

Only one new branch has worked with us—a very zealous branch, established late in the year in Reidsville; but Dilworth, and the two parishes in Greensboro, under new leaders promise great things, and we trust that Winston will not be far behind.

Those branches that have worked have done well—very well. The total amount is $65.37.

The infant class of St. Peter's, Charlotte have sent their birthday pennies to our own North Carolina missionary, Miss Hicks in Manila. A few dollars have gone to help Mr. Berkeley in his work among the mill children. All of our old friends have been remembered in some measure except the retired clergy. For them there was nothing. Shall it be so again? When we sent to Richmond the United Offering which we had been collecting for three years there was $1.16 interest to add.

Our offering for the United Work of the babies was sent to St. Luke's Chinese Hospital in San Francisco. So you see that the children of Japan, and Manila, the Chinese and the colored children, the orphans and the mill children in our own state, have all been helped by our babies just as much as we could with the pennies which we had. But if each one has been given with a prayer, God can take them in His Hand and make them do His work.

Affectionately yours,

Mrs. W. J. Smith, A. T. Smith.

Charlotte, N. C., Easter week, 1908.

MEMORIAL CIRCLE.

1. Sue Somerville Walker
2. Elizabeth Shelton Maxwell
3. Jane Nicholson
4. William Overman
5. Edwin Lacy Clark
6. William S. Nicholson, Jr.
7. Mary Wadsworth McCoy
8. Jas. Clyde Jackson
9. Rebecca Palmer
10. Neissler Byers
11. Hamilton Jones Burwell
12. Katharine Moore Clarkson
13. Thomas Taylor Webb
14. Theodore Garland Blair

RECEIPTS.

Parish.	Secretary.	Members	Amount.
Burlington	Mrs. F. L. Williamson	3	$ 3.00
Charlotte	Miss Emma J. Hall	56	30.45
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	Miss Mary S. Horry	2	71
Leaksville	Mrs. W. S. Martin	3	2.52
Mecklenburg Co., St. Marks	Mrs. E. M. McCoy	2	1.00
Milton	Mrs. Lewis Walker	1	5.00
Monroe	Miss Katie Fairley	5	1.80
Reidsville, (recently established)	Mrs. R. R. Mobley	12	1.13
Salisbury	Mrs. R. V. Brawley	17	13.35
St. Peter's Infant Class Charlotte	Mrs. C. L. Hunter		5.25
Interest on U. O.			1.16
	Total	101	$ 65.37

DISBURSEMENTS.

Bishop Atkinson Cot. Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, Japan	$16.00
Miss Hicks, Manilla	5.25
Valle Crucis	4.00
Rev. A. R. Berkeley, Mayodan	4.00
Thompson Orphanage	16.72
St. Augustine School	2.00
United Offering	2.84
Interest on U. O. for three years	1.16
United Work of Babies	3.00
Apportionment	6.00
Central Fund	4.41
Total	$65.37

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SUMMARY REPORT OF BABIES' BRANCH.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	United Work of Babies	Mayodan	Thompson Orphanage	St. Augustine's	Valle Crucis	Bishop Rowe	Diocesan Missions	General Missions	Bishop Atkinson's Cot.	Akita Japan	Apportionment	Specials	C. R. F.	Total
Convocaton of Raleigh	348	$ 3 98	$ 5 00	$	$ 5 00	$50 00	$	$10 00	$ 5 00	$20 00	$10 00	$20 00	$20 00	$ 4 00	$10 00	$25 00	$ 187 98
Convocation of Charlotte	99	4 41	4 00	3 00	4 00	16 71	2 00	4 00				16 00		6 00	5 25		65 37
Total	447	$ 8 39	$ 9 00	$ 3 00	$ 9 00	$66 71	$ 2 00	$14 00	$ 5 00	$20 00	$10 00	$36 00	$20 00	$10 00	$15 25	$25 00	$ 253 35

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NOONDAY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS.

Blessed Saviour, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth Thy loving arms; grant that all mankind may look unto Thee and be saved: through Thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost ever, one God, world without end. Amen.

O Lord, Jesus Christ, who in the days of Thy flesh didst accept the services of faithful women who ministered unto Thee of their substance; be pleased, we humbly ask, to bless our endeavors to aid and encourage missionaries. Put into our hearts the things we should do and say to promote Thy glory. Grant that we may never be discouraged under difficulties, but go forward in faith and hope, looking unto Thee. Hear us, and answer this our prayer, for Thine own Name's sake. Amen.

O God, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send Thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off, and to them that are nigh; grant that all men everywhere may seek after Thee and find Thee. Bring the nations into Thy fold and add the heathen to Thine inheritance. And we pray Thee shortly to accomplish the number of Thine elect and to hasten Thy kingdom, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

INTERCESSORY DAYS.

The eve of the feasts of:

St. Andrew—Diocesan Missions. At the disposal of Bishop Cheshire.

The Epiphany—Foreign. As designated by the Branch.

The Annunciation—Domestic. At the disposal of the Bishop of Asheville, unless otherwise designated.

The Transfiguration—Thompson Orphanage.

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Diocesan Officers:

President

Mrs. John Wilkes, Charlotte.

Vice-President

Miss Mattie Bailey, Raleigh.

Secretary

Miss Kate Cheshire, Tarborough.

Treasurer

Mrs. Dorian Blair, Greensboro.

Convocational Secretaries

Convocation of Raleigh,
Mrs. R. H. Lewis, Raleigh,
Mrs. R. W. Winston, Durham.

Convocation of Charlotte,
Miss Laura Orr, Charlotte.

SECRETARY UNITED OFFERING
Miss A. E. Smith, Scotland Neck.

CORRESPONDENT C. P. C.
Miss Rebecca Cameron, Hillsboro.

Junior Department

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH,
Mrs. E. G. Rawlings, Wilson.

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE,
Mrs. John Bennett, Wadesboro.

Babies' Branch

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH,
Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Rocky Mount.

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE,
Mrs. Walter J. Smith, Charlotte.

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I. The name of this society shall be The North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

ART. II. The object of this society is threefold—viz:—Prayer for Missions, Study of Missions and Work for Missions.

ART. III. The officers of this society shall be as follows, a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, four Convocational Secretaries; two Secretaries and Treasurers for the Juniors and two for the Babies' Branch; Secretaries for the United Offering, and Church Periodical Club.

ART. IV. All the women of the Church are, by baptism, entitled to be members of the Woman's Auxiliary, and this active membership shall be recognized by annual contributions to the Central Fund.

ART. V. There shall be an annual meeting of this society; time and place to be decided by the executive board.

ART. VI. The Diocesan officers constitute the executive board and, under the Bishop, direct the work of this Branch of the Auxiliary.

ART. VII. This Constitution may be altered by a two-thirds vote of any Annual Meeting.

BY-LAWS.

1. It shall be the duty of the President to call meetings, preside over them, and have general oversight of the whole work.

2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to act in the absence of the President.

3. It shall be the duy of the Secretary to conduct the correspondence of the society; to prepare for the Bishop and the Diocesan Convention an Annual Report of the work of the Auxiliary and to have printed for circulation a report of the work and of the Annual Meeting.

4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all moneys and disburse the same.

5. It shall be the duty of the Convocational Secretaries to keep in touch with the existing branches and to form new ones.

6. It shall be the duty of the Secretaries and Treasurers of the Junior Auxiliary and of the Babies' Branch to have the oversight of the work in their Branch; to receive all moneys and pay out the same by April 15th; and to send an annual report to the Secretary.

7. It shall be the duty of the Secretary for the United Offering to arouse interest in the fund by correspondence and the circulation of literature.

8. All moneys shall be paid quarterly to the Treasurer; the last payments to be made not later than the 15th of April.

REPORT

of the Diocesan Secretary of The Woman's Auxiliary.

Rt Rev. Father in God:

Last year the Woman's Auxiliary of our Diocese reported taking part in the great services commemorating the bringing of Christianity to our own country and contributing to the United Offering presented at our Triennial Meeting. This year we report participating in what was, perhaps, the greatest Missionary gathering in the world's history. At the Pan-Anglican Congress representatives of this branch of the Auxiliary had the privilege of attending the inspiring services held in Westminster Abbey, St. Paul's Cathedral and other historic Churches and halls of London; and of taking part in the glorious Thanksgiving service—adding their small share to the great offering made for missionary work throughout the world.

During the month of October and November your Secretary visited several branches; and by invitation of the rectors of the parishes and officers of the branches gave some account of the Pan-Anglican Congress both in our own diocese and in the diocese of East Carolina.

Since that time, an illness has prevented her from taking any active part in the work;—but it seems that during this period the work has gone on better than usual. She thankfully reports an increased interest, and a much greater proportional increase in the offerings than ever before.

The report for the WOMAN'S AUXILIARY shows that our 56 Branches have contributed as follows:

Central Fund	$ 75.66
United Offering	334.19
Diocesan Missions	451.47
Domestic Missions	899 13
Foreign Missions	211 94
Apportionment	115.75
Church Periodical Club	27.75
Clergy Retiring Fund	156.05
Specials	599.57
Collections	29.96
Collected at Annual Meeting for Hamlet	32.35
Value of Missionary Boxes	858.20
Total	$3,792.02

Branches	56
Members	1,012
Increase in Members	62
Increase in Offerings	$273.01

REPORT OF JUNIOR BRANCH.

Central Fund	$ 16.43		
United Offering	20.63		
Diocesan Missions	45.23		
Domestic Missions	194.41	Number Branches	29
Foreign Missions	53.45		
Apportionment	19.76		
Church Periocical Club	7.60		
Clergy Retiring Fund	4.50		
Specials	73.55	Number Members	474
Value of Missionary Boxes	158.65		
Total	$594.23		

We regret exceedingly that Mrs. Bland, Junior Secretary of the Convocation of Charlotte has been obliged, on account of illness, to resign her position;—but we are glad to know that Mrs. Bennett, of Wadesboro, has been appointed to take her place.

REPORT OF BABIES' BRANCH.

Central Fund	$ 10.32		
United Offering	10.00	Number Branches	42
United Work of Babies	6 00		
Diocesan Missions	49.00		
Domestic Missions	110.00	Number Members	538
Foreign Missions	56.00		
General Missions	10.00		
Specials	20.00	Increase in Members	91
Apportionment	14 00		
Clergy Retiring Fund	31.00		
Value of Box	7.70	Increase in Offerings	$70.67
Total	$324.02		

Number of Branches in Woman's Auxiliary and Junior Department	127
Number of Members in Woman's Auxiliary and Junior Department	2,024
Whole Amount of Offering - - - - - - - -	$4,710.27
Total Increase in Branches - - - - - -	4
Total Increase in Members - - - - -	17
Total Increase in Offering - - - - - -	$225.68

Since our Jubilee Service two years ago, two of our members have offered themselves for work in the foreign field. Our Jubilee offering of one thousand and fifty-five dollars has been used to help in the erection of a beautiful little Church in Selma. The Consecration of this Jubilee Chapel of St. Gabriel's will be the interesting and fitting close of this twenty-seventh Annual Meeting of our branch of the Auxiliary.

Respectfully submitted,

KATE CHESHIRE,

May 1909. Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT 1908-1909.

DIOCESAN—	Bishop Cheshire's disposal	$ 304.26
	Annie Cheshire Fund	156.75
	Littleton	17.42
	Duke	27.50
	St. Mary's, Edgecombe	11.75
	Spring Hope	49.75
	Cooleemee	13.00
	Mayodan	90.00
	Hamlet	78.00
	Charlotte Missions	14.00
DOMESTIC—	Thompson Orphanage	434.54
	Bishop Horner's disposal	142.09
	Bishop Grey—Southern Florida	33.25
	St. Agnes' Hospital—St. Augustine's School	38.50
	Alaska	64.00
	St. Paul's School, Beaufort	107.75
	Miss Hick's Work—Philipines	22.35
FOREIGN—	Miss Babcock's salary, Japan	60.51
	Miss Mann's Work, N. Japan	25.00
	Bishop Cheshire Scholarship—Holy Trinity Orphanage, Japan	66.75
	Lindsay Patton Scholarship, Bishop McKim's disposal—Japan	19.00
	China	30.00
	Foreign Missions	25.68
	Apportionment—General Missions	115.75
	Church Periodical Club	27.75
	Clergy Retiring Fund Society	156.05
	Specials	250.85
	Total	$2,391.25

SPECIALS.

Thompson Orphanage Laundry	$ 73.85
Building Fund St. Timothy's Church, Wilson	5.00
Selma	1.00
Walnut Cove, to help move Church	16.30
Roanoke Rapids	22.75
Mr. Eubanks' horse	13.00
Spray	8.00
St. Timothy Mission, Olive Branch, N. C.	5.00
Rev. G. B. Clark, Buena Vista, Florida	13.00
Rectory Fund, Harvard, Ill	2.00
St. Saviour's Mission, Raleigh	15.00
Mr. McRae's Work, China	1.00
Aldert Smedes Scholarship, Shanghai, China	15.00
Laura Lemly Scholarship, Balsam, N. C.	10.00
Convocational Missions (Charlotte)	21.30
Convocational Missions (Raleigh)	21.65
Bishop Rowe's disposal, Alaska	6.00
Rev. Benj. Ancell's Work, China	5.00
Assyrian Missionaries	1.00
Jewish Missions	1.00
Dr. Driggs, Pt. Hope, Alaska	1.00
Bishop Ives, Mexico	2.00
Total	$259.85

UNITED OFFERING.

Balance May 1st, 1908	$ 80.30
Received from Woman's Auxiliary since May, 1908	334.19
Interest on above	5.93
Total	$420.42

CENTRAL FUND.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Balance 1908	$ 72.22	Miss Mann's expenses	$10.00
Woman's Auxiliary	83.66	Printing	51.25
Junior—Raleigh Convocation (Printing)	8.00	Miss Cheshire (Postage)	11.00
Total	$163.88	Miss Smith (Postage)	.80
	81.70	Miss Cameron (Postage)	2.00
Balance	$ 82.18	Mrs. Bennett (Postage)	1.50
		Mrs. Blair (Postage)	5.15
		Total	$81.70

Adeline Cleveland Blair,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE MEETING OF THE OFFICERS OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

The Diocesan officers of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary met at Christ Church Chapel, Thursday morning, May 13th, 1909.

There were present:

Mrs. John Wilkes, President,
Miss Kate Cheshire, Secretary,
Mrs. Dorian Blair, Treasurer,
Mrs. R. H. Lewis, Secretary, Convocation of Raleigh,
Miss A. E. Smith, Secretary United Offering,
Mrs. E. G. Rawlings, Secretary Junior Branch, Convocation of Raleigh,
Mrs. Frank Spruill, Secretary Babies Branch, Convocation of Raleigh.
Mrs. W. J. Smith, Secretary Babies Branch, Convocation of Charlotte.

The first thing brought up was the amount in the hands of the Treasurer, for Littleton. The Treasurer having consulted the Bishop, he recommended that the Diocesan Officers give this money to Mr. Joyner to reimburse him for money he personally paid out for the salary of a teacher at Roanoke Rapids. The school at Littleton was not started last year. This recommendation was accepted, and the Treasurer instructed to pay the money to Bishop Cheshire for that purpose.

The Pledge List was revised, and some changes made. The Auxiliary officers wish to encourage the Branches to give freely to Diocesan Missions.

The Secretary of the Convocation of Charlotte, Mrs. Van Landingham, sent in her resignation and it was accepted with regrets. Miss Laura Orr of Charlotte was nominated in her place. Mrs. M. A. Bland, Secretary of the Junior Branch for the Convocation of Charlotte being compelled to resign her position, Mrs. J. T. Bennett, has been requested to take that office. Miss Esdaile Shaw of Rockingham was nominated to fill the vacant place of Secretary of the Convocation of Charlotte. Both of these nominations met with the approval of the Bishop.

The officers then adjourned to meet in Christ Church Chapel, on Friday, May 14th, at 10 o'clock.

Respectfully submitted,

Miss A. E. Smith,

Secretary pro tem.

MINUTES.

The twenty-seventh Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of North Carolina was held in the Chapel of Christ Church, Raleigh, at 10 o'clock, May 14th, 1909.

After singing the Jubilee hymn, the Bishop in a few words welcomed the women, thanked them for the help of the past year, and wished them God speed.

Roll call being postponed till the afternoon, the minutes of the meeting of the Diocesan officers were read.

The report of the Treasurer followed, showing most gratifying work. The increase over last year's offering being $312.71. Again she urged the importance of sending all money through her, as offerings sent direct to the missionaries could not be reported by her, and often occassioned much inconvenience.

The Secretary then stated, that as the President had been out of the Diocese most of the time, and she herself prevented by illness from taking much active part in the work since October, the burden had fallen upon the Treasurer, and she therefore moved that her report be received with thanks. This was carried by a rising vote.

Mrs. Lewis, Secretary for the Convocation of Raleigh, reported faithful work, but urged that the office be given to young women—women of earnestness and enthusiasm, who would give themselves to the work.

A letter was received from Mrs. Winston regretting that ill health had prevented active work, and expressing regret that she could not be with us. Her absence was a great disappointment to us but we earnestly hope that she will soon be able to resume her duties.

It was announced that both Secretaries of the Convocation of Charlotte had been obliged to resign. Mrs. Bennett, who had succeeded Mrs. Bland as Secretary of the Juniors in the Convocation of Charlotte, sent her report as she was detained at home by illness. She asked for sympathy and co-operation in the work of the Juniors, and urged the claims of Hamlet. It was moved that a note be sent to Mrs. Bennett expressing our sympathy and regret at her absence. The Secretary of the United Offering reported gratifying interest although thirteen branches had made no report. St. Philip's, Durham, is the banner branch in contributions to this object.

Miss Cameron, Librarian of the C. P. C. made a most earnest appeal for books and magazines. Miss Addie Smith urged that each member of the Auxiliary give at least twenty-five cents a year to this work.

The Secretary of the Junior Auxiliary in the Convocation of Raleigh made a most encouraging report showing the average gifts of the Juniors to be $1.00, the interest increasing, and

the prospects for the coming year cheering. Good work was done by the branch in Oxford which was not reported.

Mrs. Bennett, the new Secretary for the Convocation of Charlotte, emphasized of the importance of securing good leaders, and asked the co-operation of parents.

Mrs. Spruill, Secretary of the Babies' Branch in the Convocation of Raleigh, made a touching and beautiful appeal to the mothers, and reported the satisfactory condition and splendid work done by the baby helpers of the Auxiliary.

The report from the Babies of the Convocation of Charlotte showed that they, too, were keeping up with the forward movement, the last year's work being the best they have ever done.

The revised pledge list as recommended by the Diocesan officers was then read. As the Auxiliary had paid the Bishop more than the amount promised, it was suggested that the offerings of the day be used to purchase a tablet to be put into the Jubilee Memorial Chapel at Selma. This motion was seconded and carried.

The Junior branches of Raleigh were called upon for their reports. Mrs. Iredell reported for Christ Church. The branch in Henderson showed good work and excellent methods. An offering was taken for the tablet to be placed in the Church in Selma, amounting to $27.62 including the Communion Alms of the morning.

After noonday prayer by Mrs Wilkes, the meeting adjourned to the Church to hear the report of the Secretary. This was read before the Convention by Rev. Francis Osborne, and showed steady, satisfactory growth, notwithstanding her difficulties and disadvantages of the year. The women's hearts are in the work. On motion of Mr. R. H. Battle, the thanks of the Convention were given to the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary and the Babies' Branch for their work of the past year.

At four o'clock the Auxiliary assembled in afternoon session. The report of the Juniors of the Good Shepherd was then read.

The roll of the parishes was called. The following delegates and visitors were present:

Convocation of Raleigh.

Grace Church, Lawrence—Miss Cheshire.

Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount—Mrs. Bunn, Mrs. J. J. Battle, Mrs. Waddell, Mrs. F. S. Spruill.

Scotland Neck—Miss A. E. Smith, Mrs. Fenner, Mrs. H. I. Clark, Mrs. W. D. Shields, Mrs. W. H. Josey.

Calvary Church, Tarboro—Mrs. B. E. Brown, Mrs. J. L. Bridgers, Mrs. Jas. Pender.

Grace Church, Weldon—Mrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn.

St. Timothy's, Wilson—Mrs. H. G. Connor, Mrs. Rawlings.
Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill—Mrs. MacNider.
St. Philip's, Durham—Mrs. Wall, Mrs. L. A. Carr, Mrs. Leak.
Henderson, Holy Innocents—Mrs. D. Y. Cooper, Mrs. Daniel, Mrs. Chevasse, Mrs. Harper, Mrs. Henry Perry, Mrs. Jack Ross.
St. Stephen's, Oxford—Mrs. Horsfield, Mrs. J. C. Horner, Mrs. M. A. Johnston.
St. Albans, Littleton—Mrs. Leak.
St. Paul's, Louisburg—Mrs. John London, Mrs. Wm. Ruffin.
Church of the Heavenly Rest, Middleburg—Miss Carroll.
Good Shepherd, Raleigh—Mrs. C. G. Latta, Miss M. H. Bailey, Mrs. Cheshire, Mrs. R. C. Strong, Mrs. Pittinger, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Leigh Skinner, Mrs. Alexander Field, Miss Mary Latta, Mrs. Murray Allen, Mrs. Jas. E. Shepherd, Miss Sarah Cheshire, Miss Elizabeth Cheshire, Mrs. Brown Pegram, Mrs. A. M. Hamff, Mrs. A. W. Knox, Mrs. Ingle.
Christ Church, Raleigh—Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Busbee, Mrs. W. E. Stone, Mrs. K. P. Battle, Jr., Mrs. T. S. Kenan, Mrs. Ivey Foreman, Mrs. A. A. Thompson, Mrs. Paul Lee, Mrs. J. K. Marshall, Miss M. Ward, Miss Jane Ward, Mrs. Wm. Lineham, Mrs. Iredell, Mrs. Thomas Ashe, Miss Willie Ashe, Mrs. Ed Fellows, Mrs. W. H. Warren, Mrs. Chas. Root.
St. Mary's—Miss McKimmon, Miss Walton, Miss Thomas.
St. Savior's—Mrs. Ashe, Mrs. Hinsdale, Mrs. Rufus Jones.
Emmanuel, Southern Pines—Mrs. R. E. Wiley, Mrs. McGuire.

Convocation of Charlotte.

St. Paul's, Winston—Mrs. W. L. Hill.
St. Athanasius, Burlington—Mrs. Ogilby.
St. Andrew's, Greensboro—Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Wetmore.
St. Barnabas—Mrs. Joyner, Mrs. Perry Williams, Mrs. F. M. Elliott, Mrs. H. L. Hoover.
Messiah, Mayodan—Miss Karrer, Mrs. Berkeley.
St. Peter's, Charlotte—Mrs. Wilkes, Mrs. R. L. Jones, Mrs. W. J. Smith.
Ascension, Advance—Miss Agnes Hairston, Miss Ruth Hairston.
Good Shepherd—Miss Ola Brown.
Hamlet—Mrs. Laurence, Mrs. Meade.

The Junior Auxiliary of the Good Shepherd then made its report. Mrs. Cheshire then presented for the consideration of the women, the inscription written by the Bishop for the tablet for the Church in Selma. Mrs. Wilkes stated that the Bishop

had suggested that as only the larger parishes were able to entertain both the Convention and the Auxiliary, the women, should consider the advisability of the Auxiliary meeting with the Convocations of Raleigh and Charlotte in rotation. After discussion, it was moved by Miss Bailey that the matter be postponed for another year, that it may be ascertained what the whole Auxiliary desire.

Mr. Nash came in at this point to thank the women for the help they had given to St. Mary's, Speed, and prefaced his remarks by saying he hoped the women would continue to meet with the Convention.

Rev. Mr. Owens then thanked the Auxiliary for the aid they had given to the mission at Spring Hope and asked their continued interest. The Archdeacon of the Raleigh Convocation then spoke of the work in Clayton.

Rev. Mr. Berkley made an earnest appeal for the work at Walnut Cove and at Mayodan. An offering of $14.05 was taken for Mr. Berkeley's work at Walnut Cove. It was then announced that the Auxiliary had been invited to visit St. Augustine's School with the members of the Convention.

Rev. Mr. Hoover spoke of the important work which he is doing at Spray, and bespoke for it the interest of the Auxiliary.

Miss McKimmon reported the work of the Juniors at St. Mary's School. It was then moved and carried that a collection be taken for moving the Church at Walnut Cove. This collection amounted to $11.50.

The Secretary then expressed the thanks of all the delegates for the many courtesies and the unbounded hospitality shown us by the congregations of Raleigh.

The meeting then adjourned.

MRS. W. J. SMITH.

Two interesting services were held on the evenings of the 12th and 14th.

The first was for the members of the Junior Auxiliary in the Church of the Good Shepherd. At this service the vested choir was composed entirely of Juniors and addresses were made by the Rev. Thos. H. Faulkner, of Greensboro, and Rev. Thos. L. Trott, of Durham.

On the evening of the fourteenth the members of the Woman's Auxiliary united with the Convention in a great missionary service in Christ Church; and missionary addresses were made by Rev. Samuel M. Hanff, of Duke, and Rev. Bertram E. Brown, of Tarboro. At both these services was sung "For My Sake and the Gospels Go, and Tell Redemption's Story"—a Jubilee Hymn used during the great Pan-Anglican Congress. The offering was for Diocesan Mission.

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES AND OFFICERS.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE.

Battleboro—St. John's
Mrs. H. B. Marriott, President; Miss Mary Philips, Secretary and Treasurer.

Enfield—The Church of the Advent
Mrs. H. S. Harrison, President; Miss Sallie Parker, Vice-President; Mrs. E. W. Simpson, Secretary and Treasurer.

Speed—St. Mary's
Mrs. Dorsey Parker, Secretary.

Halifax—St. Mark's
Miss Helen Daniel, President; Mrs. George Gilliam, Secretary and Treasurer.

Jackson—Church of the Saviour
Mrs. L. H. Whitfield, President; Miss Harriet Bowen, Secretary and Treasurer.

Lawrence—Grace Chapel
Mrs. Williams, Vice-President; Mrs. Cary Lawrence, Secretary and Treasurer.

Roanoke Rapids—
Mrs. Walter C. Edwards, President; Mrs. J. L. Patterson, Vice-President; Miss Effie Waldo, Secretary and Treasurer.

Rocky Mount—Good Shepherd
Mrs. B. H. Bunn, President; Mrs. D. W. Thorpe, Vice-President; Mrs. E. G. Muse, Secretary and Treasurer.

Rocky Mount—Good Shepherd
Mrs. M. J. Carson, President; Miss Bessie Bunn, Secretary and Treasurer.

Scotland Neck—Trinity
Miss A. E. Smith, President; Mrs. H. I. Clark, Vice-President; Mrs. Rebe Shields, Secretary; Miss Anna B. Clark, Treasurer.

Tarboro—Calvary
Mrs. John W. Cotten, President; Mrs. Charles Parks, Vice-President; Miss A. C. Parker, Secretary; Mrs. R. I. Farrar, Treasurer.

Thelma—St. Luke's
Miss Ida Pugh, Secretary and Treasurer.

Weldon—Grace
Mrs. Eva Davis, President; Mrs. T. C. Harrison, Vice-President; Mrs. E. G. Taylor, Secretary; Miss Mary Clark, Treasurer.

Wilson—St. Timothy's
Mrs H. G. Connor, President; Mrs. T. A. Cheatham, Vice-President; Mrs. Minnie H. Murray, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE.

Chapel Hill—Chapel of the Cross
Mrs. J. C. McRae, President; Mrs. J. H Pratt, Vice-President; Mrs. R. W. Prince, Secretary; Miss M. S. Manning, Treasurer.

Durham—St. Philip's
Mrs. W. L. Wall, President; Mrs. Saunders, Vice-President; Mrs. L. A. Carr, Secretary and Treasurer.

Henderson—Holy Innocents
Mrs. Henry Perry, President; Mrs. D. Y. Cooper, Vice-President; Miss Jessica R. Smith, Secretary; Mrs. Philip H. Thomas, Treasurer.

Hillsboro—St. Matthew's
Miss Henrietta Collins, President; Mrs. Wm. Hayes, Vice-President; Miss Rebecca Cameron, Secretary; Miss Margaret T. Webb, Treasurer.

Oxford—St. Stephen's
Mrs. F. H. T. Horsefield, President; Miss Margaret Hilliard and Miss M. B. Hilliard, Vice-Presidents; Mrs. J. C. Horner, Secretary; Mrs. Louis DeLaCroix, Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF WAKE.

Duke—
Miss Annie Wetmore, President; Miss Carrie Herndon, Secretary and Treasurer.

Littleton—St. Alban's
Miss Ruby Vinson, President; Mrs. J. Pippen, Vice-President; Miss Lucy Capehart, Secretary and Treasurer.

Louisburg—St. Paul's
Mrs. John London, President; Mrs. T. W. Bickett, Secretary; Mrs. Wm. H. Ruffin, Treasurer.

Middleburg—Church of the Heavenly Rest
Mrs. Herbert Church, President; Miss Laura H. Carroll, Secretary; Mrs. Thomas H. Carroll, Treasurer.

Pittsboro—St. Bartholomew's
Mrs. S. J. Haughton, President; Mrs. Wm. London, Secretary and Treasurer.

Raleigh—Christ Church
Mrs. Parker, President; Mrs. F. H. Busbee, Vice-President; Mrs. Wm. Stone, Secretary; Mrs. K. P. Battle, Jr., Treasurer.

Raleigh—Good Shepherd
Mrs. I. McK. Pittenger, President; Miss Mattie H. Bailey, Vice-President; Mrs. Alex. Field, Secretary; Mrs. J. B. Cheshire, Treasurer.

Raleigh—St. Mary's
Mrs. Geo. W. Lay, President; Miss Lola E. Walton, Vice-President; Miss Kate McKimmon, Secretary and Treasurer.

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CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD.

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Miss Ruth Hairston, Secretary; Miss Agnes Hairston, Treasurer.

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CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE

				DIOCESAN								DOMESTIC								FOREIGN										
																				JAPAN			CHINA							
	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Intercessory Col.	Littleton	Duke	St. Mary's Edgecombe	Mayodan	Cooleemee	Charlotte Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Intercessory Col.	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Intercessory Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	Alaska	Beaufort	Miss Hick's Philippines	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	At Bishop McKim's Disposal	Epiphany Intercessory Col.	Apportionments	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Relief Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Battleboro	9	$ 80	$ 13 45	$	$ 1 70	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 13 52	$ 45	$	$ 1 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 13 00	$ 43 92	1	$ 16 50	$ 60 42
Enfield	7	80	2 00	5 00	1 00	10 00						10 00								5 00					5 00		5 00	2 00	45 80			45 80
Halifax	4	40		1 00	73							1 00		1 00								1 00					2 00	3 00	10 13			10 13
Jackson	13	1 30	10 40					2 00				5 00		1 00							2 00				1 30		1 30	3 00	27 30			27 30
Lawrence	21	1 06	2 60	50		1 42						1 15		1 75										1 16					9 64	2	19 50	29 14
Roanoke Rapids	8		1 00																										1 00			1 00
Rocky Mount	30	2 00	8 00	5 00		25	25	25	25	25	25	5 00		2 50		2 50		5 00			5 00	5 00	2 50	2 00	5 00		12 00	16 00	79 00			79 00
Scotland Neck	38	3 10	7 95	2 00	1 35	1 00	1 00		1 00			16 15	1 35	2 00	1 37	1 00	1 00	1 00	2 00		1 00	1 00		68	1 00	1 00	1 00	4 00	52 95	1	40 58	93 53
Tarborough	53	5 00	23 58	25 00	10 65	1 00	1 00	1 00	11 00	1 00	1 00	10 00	2 56	7 00	7 65	5 00		5 00			8 00	5 00		1 16	12 00		12 00	2 00	157 90	3	23 00	180 90
Thelma	8			3 25								2 00																	5 25			5 25
Speed	8																															
Weldon	19	1 30	6 02	2 00	2 36			1 00	2 00			16 00		2 00	1 60			2 00	2 00					1 26	2 00		2 00	12 00	55 54	1	28 00	83 54
Wilsol	15		1 65	2 50	2 00							15 00		2 50	1 40							2 50		1 57			2 50	5 00	39 62	1	9 00	48 62
Total	223	$15 76	$ 79 65	$ 46 25	$19 79	$13 67	$ 2 25	$ 4 25	$14 25	$ 1 25	$ 1 25	$ 94 82	$ 4 36	$ 19 75	$13 02	$ 8 50	$ 1 00	$13 00	$ 4 00	$ 5 00	$16 00	$14 50	$ 2 50	$ 8 13	$ 26 30	$ 1 00	$ 37 80	$ 60 00	$ 528.05	9	$ 136 58	$ 664 63

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE

Chapel Hill	21	$ 2 10	$ 6 00	$ 2 00	$ 2 60	$ 50	$ 50	$ 50	$ 50	$ 50	$ 50	$ 10 00	$	$ 2 00	$	$	$	$	$ 10 00	$	$ 50	$ 3 00	$	$	$ 5 00	$	$	$ 16 00	$ 62 20	1	$ 25 00	$ 87 20
Durham	32	3 20	34 58	15 00			5 00					25 00		25 00		3 00		5 00				5 00		5 00	5 00	2 00	12 00	64 57	209 35			209 35
Henderson	62	5 70	12 30	5 00	1 27							40 00	1 07	5 00	1 50	5 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	5 00	5 00			6 00	5 00	1 00	12 00	60 65	191 49	2	100 00	291 49
Hillsboro	25	2 50	30 56	10 00	1 25							5 00	5 00	2 50	1 50	2 50	2 50	3 00	2 00	2 00	1 50	1 50	1 50	5 25	2 00	3 00	12 00	52 00	149 06	1	50 00	199 06
Oxford	22	2 25	4 75	10 00	50	2 00	2 00	1 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	10 00	50	10 00	50	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 50	2 50	50	1 50	10 00	2 00	12 00	15 00	105 50			105 50
Total	162	$15 75	$ 88 19	$ 42 00	$ 5 62	$ 2 50	$ 7 50	$ 1 50	$ 2 50	$ 2 50	$ 2 50	$ 90 00	$ 6 57	$ 44 50	$ 3 50	12 50	$ 9 50	$10 00	$ 29 00	$ 9 00	$ 9 50	$12 00	$ 2 00	$17 75	$ 27 00	$ 8 00	$ 48 00	$ 208 22	$ 717 60	4	$ 175 00	$ 892 60

DISTRICT OF WAKE

Duke	9	$ 90	$ 1 74	$ 1 00	$	$	$	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$	$	$ 1 00	$	$	$	$	$	$ 1 00	$	$	$ 1 00	$	$	$	$	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$ 10 64	$	$ 10 64
Littleton	15		7 75																									2 00	9 75			9 75
Louisburg	9	90	4 20	10 00	65		1 00	1 00				25 00		10 00				5 00				5 00		1 90	2 25		12 00	2 00	80 90	1	70 00	150 90
Middleburg	7	70	6 45	1 50	2 40													1 00										10 50	22 55	1	11 57	34 12
Pittsboro	11		4 00		1 00							19 40	1 00		1 00									1 00	1 00			3 00	31 40	1	23 70	55 10
Christ Church, Raleigh	54	4 50	33 05	10 00	3 05	5 00	10 00		25 00			18 00	2 55		2 00		10 00	10 00	25 00		10 00	5 00		80		5 00	10 00	61 00	249 95	2	30 00	279 95
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	54	3 40	31 00	10 00					5 00			10 00		5 00	2 20	5 00	5 00	5 00	25 00			5 00	5 00	7 50	10 00	2 50	12 00	28 40	177 00	4	133 50	310 50
St. Mary's, Raleigh	10	2 40		17 15					3 00			15 00							15 00					15 00	1 20			2 00	67 75	1	3 00	70 75
St. Savior's, Raleigh	8											5 00							3 00			2 00						20 00	33 00			33 00
Ridgeway	8	80	1 32	25	1 50	2 00	25	25	25	25	25	1 50		25		25		50	25	25	25	25	25		50		2 00	1 35	14 72	1	8 00	22 72
Smithfield	12	1 00	2 15									10 00					5 00							5 00				10 15	33 30			33 30
Southern Pines	16	1 00		7 00		50	50	50	50	50	50	12 00		3 00	1 00		3 00	3 00			2 00	3 00							38 00			38 00
Warrenton	27	2 25	16 75	5 00		3 00	50	50	50	50	50	29 50		1 00		1 00	1 00	1 00	50			1 00			3 00		2 00	3 00	72 50	1	55 50	128 00
Total	240	$17 85	$108 41	$ 61 90	$ 8 60	$10 50	$12 25	$ 3 25	$35 25	$ 1 25	$ 1 25	$146 10	$ 3 55	$ 19 25	$ 6 20	$ 6 25	$24 00	$26 50	$ 68 75	$ 25	$12 25	$22 25	$ 5 25	$31 20	$ 17 95	$ 7 50	$ 39 00	$ 144 40	$ 811 46	12	$ 335 27	$1176 73

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD

Germantown		$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$
Winston	20	2 00	5 50	4 00	2 75				5 00			11 25		2 00			1 00	1 00			3 00				5 00		2 00	15 00	59 50	1	33 00	92 50
Burlington	16																											13 00	13 00			13 00
St. Andrew's, Greensboro	36	3 60	14 54	10 00	1 70				10 00			17 00	75	10 00	2 04	2 00		2 00	10 00	3 00				5 80	10 00	6 00	12 00	22 00	142 43	1	7 00	149 43
St. Barnabas, Greensboro	33	3 30	7 65	5 00	1 42	1 00	1 00	1 00	5 00	1 00	1 00	8 00	6 50	3 00	3 46	2 00	2 00	5 00	5 00	3 00	2 00	4 00	3 00	2 35	2 25	3 00	2 00	16 15	100 08	1	15 00	115 08
Hight Point	12												1 10	1 00															2 10			2 10
Leaksville	10	1 00	4 25	6 00								5 00									2 50				6 00				24 75			24 75
Madison	5	50	1 50	2 00	1 00																				1 50			1 00	7 50			7 50
Mayodan	27	30	3 50	2 75	1 10							1 25													4 00	1 00		4 50	18 40			18 40
Statesville																																
Stoneville	3	10	50															50			50	50	25	25	25	25	25		3 35	1	8 00	11 35
Walnut Cove																																
Total	162	$10 80	$ 37 44	$ 29 75	$ 7 97	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$20 00	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$ 42 50	$ 8 35	$ 16 00	$ 5 50	$ 4 00	$ 3 00	$ 8 50	$ 15 00	$ 6 00	$ 8 00	$ 4 50	$ 3 25	$ 8 40	$ 20 00	$10 25	$ 16 25	$ 71 65	$ 371 11	4	$ 63 00	$ 434 11

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG

Bristow	16	$1 70	$	$ 5 00	$ 25	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 5 00	$	$	$ 25	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 5 00	$	$	$	$	$ 5 00	$ 22 20	$	$ 22 20
St. Peter's, Charlotte	79	7 00		10 50	3 25				15 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	2 75	5 00	6 00			5 00		5 00	5 00	5 00		7 11				53 00	150 51	1	75 00	225 51
Dilworth	17	1 70		3 00																					3 00			21 30	29 00			29 00
Hamlet	11				1 50																							5 25	6 75	1	12 40	19 15
Monroe																																
Wadesboro	15	1 50	7 25	2 00	2 25				1 00			10 00	5 81		1 62			1 00	1 00		1 00			1 35	4 00		3 00	9 25	52 03	2	45 95	97 98
Total	138	$12 80	$ 7 25	$ 20 50	$ 7 25	$	$	$16 00	$ 5 00	$ 5 00	$ 25 00	$ 8 56	$ 5 00	$ 7 87	$	$	$ 6 00	$ 1 00	$ 5 00	$ 6 00	$10 00	$	$ 8 46	$ 7 00	$	$ 3 00	$ 93 80	$ 260 49	1	$ 133 35	$ 393 84

DISTRICT OF ROWAN

Advance	2	$ 20	$ 2 00	$ 5 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 1 00	$	$	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$ 3 00	$ 11 20	$	$ 11 20
Ansonville																															
Concord	9		2 75		5 17																					9 00	1 00	17 92			17 92
Cooleemee	21		50	50	1 50	25	25	25	25	25	25		1 50		1 50									1 00			7 00	15 00	1	15 00	30 00
Lexington	5	50	2 00									2 00									1 00				2 50		1 00	1 00	10 00			10 00
Rowan County	20		1 00	2 00							1 00	3 00		1 00			1 00					2 00					1 00	1 00	13 00			13 00
Salisbury	20	2 00	5 00	12 00			2 50					42 68									2 50	2 50			5 00			8 50	82 68			82 68
Total	77	$ 2 70	$ 13 25	$ 19 50	$ 6 67	$ 25	$ 2 75	$ 25	$ 25	$ 25	$ 1 25	$ 17 68	$ 1 50	$ 1 00	$ 1 50	$	$ 1 00	$	$	$ 1 50	$ 1 50	$	$ 1 00	$ 8 50	$ 1 00	$ 12 00	$ 21 50	$ 152 80	1	$ 15 00	$ 167 80

SUMMARY REPORT

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

Edgecombe [13 Branches]	233	$15 76	$ 79 65	$ 46 25	$19 79	$13 67	$ 2 25	$ 4 25	$14 25	$ 1 25	$ 1 25	$ 94 82	$ 4 36	$ 19 75	$13 02	$ 8 50	$ 1 00	$13 00	$ 4 00	$ 5 00	$16 00	$14 50	$ 2 50	$ 8 13	$ 26 30	$ 1 00	$ 37 80	$ 60 00	$ 528 05	9	$ 136 58	$ 664 63
Granville [5 Branches]	162	15 75	88 19	42 00	5 62	2 50	7 50	1 50	2 50	2 50	2 50	90 00	6 57	44 50	3 50	12 50	9 50	10 00	29 00	9 00	9 50	12 00	2 00	17 75	27 00	8 00	48 00	208 22	717 60	4	175 00	892 60
Wake [13 Branches]	240	17 85	108 41	61 90	8 60	10 50	12 25	3 25	35 25	1 25	1 25	146 40	3 55	19 25	6 20	6 25	24 00	26 50	68 75	25	12 25	22 25	5 25	31 20	17 95	7 50	39 00	144 40	811 46	12	335 27	1176 73

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

Guilford [12 Branches]	162	$10 80	$ 37 44	$ 29 75	$ 7 97	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$20 00	$ 1 00	$ 1 00	$ 42 50	$ 8 35	$ 16 00	$ 5 50	$ 4 00	$ 3 00	$ 8 50	$ 15 00	$ 6 00	$ 8 00	$ 4 50	$ 3 25	$ 8 40	$ 20 00	$10 25	$ 16 25	$ 71 65	$ 371 11	4	$ 63 00	$ 434 11
Mecklenburg [6 Branches]	138	12 80	7 25	20 50	7 25				16 00	5 00	5 00	25 00	8 56	5 00	7 87			6 00	1 00	5 00	6 00	10 00		8 46	7 00		3 00	93 80	260 49	4	133 35	393 81
Rowan [7 Branches]	77	2 70	13 25	19 50	6 67	25	2 75	25	25	25	1 25	17 68	1 50	1 00	1 50		1 00				1 50	1 50		1 00	8 50	1 00	12 00	21 50	152 80	1	15 00	167 80
Total 56 Branches	1012	$75 66	$334 19	$219 90	$55 90	$27 92	$25 75	$10 25	$88 25	$11 25	$12 25	$146 10	$32 80	$105 50	$37 59	$ 31 25	$38 50	$61 00	$ 117 75	$25 25	$56 25	$67 75	$13 00	$71 91	$ 115 75	$27 75	$ 156 05	$ 509 57	$2871 51	34	$ 858 20	$3729 71

Communion Alms and Collection at Annual Meeting	29 96
Collected at Annual Meeting for Hamlet	32 35
Total	$3792 02

REPORT OF THE UNITED OFFERING FOR 1909.

To the President, Secretary, and Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary:

Having carefully gone over the list sent me by Mrs. Blair, of the United Offering from the various Branches in the Diocese, I find that the interest shown has been very gratifying.

The total was - - -	$334.19
Interest - - - -	5.93
Balance last year - - -	80.30
	$420.42

In addition to this, I have been notified that St. Peter's, Charlotte, has $104.00 in Bank. That Branch will add to this sum and present it as a whole for the tri-ennial offering.

There are thirteen Branches which have sent no contribution. I renew the appeal made last year that every Branch will join in this free will offering, and also make an effort to have all the communicants in every parish share in this privilege. One branch has reported its method. That is, to distribute the boxes, and to ask each person to give one penny every Sunday, or as much more as she desires. I will be glad to answer any questions on the subject of the best way of collecting, and to receive any suggestions which may benefit other Branches. There are sixteen women in the State of North Carolina supported by the United Offering, eight of them in our own Diocese. When we think of the grand work being done by our women, all over the world, it should stir us to keep in touch with them. But, dear friends, do not give the money alone. Let each penny be accompanied by a prayer that it may be blessed in going to the extension of the Kingdom of Christ.

ADELAIDE E. SMITH,
Secretary United Offering,
Diocese of North Carolina.

May 14th, 1909.

NINETEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN THE DIOCESE OF N. C.

I wish I was submitting a more encouraging Report of the Church Periocical Club. It reminds me of the Valley of Dry Bones, and that I am in no sense an Ezekiel: I cannot reanimate it, try I ever so faithfully! In March I wrote a personal letter to all of the Librarians asking for some account of their work during the past three years. This was more to feel the pulse of the work than to obtain statistics. Eight out of the seventeen replied. One to resign what she says has been a nominal office, only, for several years; three to report a practical suspension of all work; and the other four showed earnestness, faithfulness, and more or less work accomplished.

I then wrote to all of the clergy in the diocese in whose parishes we have no Librarian, asking that one be appointed.

There are seventeen of them also. Rev. Mr. Bost, of Durham, replied at once making a very efficient appointment. Rev. Mr. Cocke, of Winston-Salem, gave an address to which I wrote, so far without results; Rev. Mr. London, of Louisburg, could find no one who would take the work; and Rev. Mr. Ogilby, of Burlington, was in like helpless case.

The remaining thirteen (unlucky number!) are still to be heard from.

As the case now stands, we have twelve parishes in which there is a C. P. C. Librarian, viz:—St. Matthew's, Hillsboro; Christ Church, Raleigh; St. Paul's, Monroe; Trinity, Scotland Neck; St. Andrew's, and St. Barnabas, Greensboro; All Saint's, Concord; St. Peter's, Charlotte; Calvary, Wadesboro; and Cooleemee Mission, Davison County; and at St. Mary's School, Raleigh, but St. Mary's sent out only money, so far as last year's work is reported.

We are sending out regularly, (at leastI hope so) eighty-two (82) current periodicals; have given away six (6) prayer books and hymnals; one hundred and twenty (120) tracts and catechisms; one box of miscellaneous reading matter, and one thousand and twenty-eight (1,028) odd numbers of magazines and papers.

The money reported to me as sent by the parish branches and the Librarians is $27.75, besides $6.00 from the Junior Auxiliary at St. Mary's School; and $1.00 from St. Matthew's, Junior Auxiliary, Hillsboro, a total of $34.75. I wish I knew how to awaken the interest of the good, kind women of the church to a realization of the value, necessity, importance and mercifulness of the work done by the Church Periodical Club.

There are so many, so very many people, who, but for its most merciful ministry, would be absolutely deprived of the pleasure of a new book or magazine.

There are 1,616 clergymen and 4,677 lay people who are recipients of the literature distributed by the C. P. C. and I know personally of more families than I like to think of who are wholly dependent upon it for every periodical that they see.

I knew of one copy of the Churchman, sent regularly to a Missionary on the Western frontier that travelled afterwards a circuit of five hundred miles and reached fifty other families.

I knew of a woman out West, who cried for joy when a box that was sent to her contained nothing but books and magazines, tho' she needed other things badly enough.

I knew of one copy of the Review of Reviews that went into three states and seven families. I could multiply instances like these, but surely these will suffice.

Some of the letters written to the Central office are so full of gratitude and joy that it positively hurts you to think how great the privation has been; and how many more there are in like case, who are receiving nothing!

"My brethren, these things ought not so to be."

The need is so great, and it costs so little, both of time and money to supply it that it seems to me if once good women could but realize it, they would feel ashamed to let a magazine stay in their houses after it has been read.

To many of us the hunger for books is as real as the hunger for bread. Indeed, I have known the time when I would have traded off the bread for the book most joyfully. Can't we, and won't we do more than we have ever yet done?

The need is so real, and as wide spread as the Church itself. We have the means to supply it right at hand in our homes. Shall it go longer unsupplied?

Respectfully submitted,

REBECCA CAMERON,

Correspondent C. P. C.,

Diocese of North Carolina.

Hillsboro, N. C.,
May 10th, 1909.

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB.

Christ Church, Raleigh	$ 5.00
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro	3.00
St. Barnabas, Greensboro	3.00
St. Andrew's, Greensboro	6.00
Holy Innocents, Henderson	1.00
Ascension, Advance	1.00
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	2.50
Emmanuel, Stoneville	.25
Trinity, Scotland Neck	1.00
St. Philip's, Durham	2.00
Messiah, Mayodan	1.00
St. Stephen's, Oxford	2.00
Junior Auxiliary, St. Mary's School, Raleigh	6.00
Junior Auxiliary, St. Matthew's, Hillsboro	1.00
Junior Auxiliary, Scotland Neck	.25
	$35.00

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY OF THE CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH, APRIL 15, 1098 to APRIL 15, 1909.

Madam President, Secretary and Women of the Auxiliary:

I submit for your consideration the report of the Junior Auxiliary, Convocation of Raleigh, for the year ending April 15th, 1909.

St. Phillips,	Durham,	Members	12,	$ 28.20
Duke Mission,	Duke,	"	8,	1.00
St. Mark's, S. S.,	Halifax,	"	17,	6.76
St. Matthew's,	Hillsboro,	"	8,	31.50
Church of Our Saviour,	Jackson,	"	7,	11.50
Holy Innocents,	Henderson,	"	16,	3.50
St. Paul's,	Louisburg,	"	4,	11.25
Young Christian Sol.,	Middleburg,	"	3,	1.55
Christ Church,	Raleigh,	"	18,	31.00
Good Shepherd,	Raleigh,	"	16,	15.80
St. Saviour's,	Raleigh,	"	15,	
St. Mary's School,	Raleigh,	"	125,	139.85
Good Shepherd,	Rocky Mount,	"	6,	72.40
Holy Trinity,	Scotland Neck,	"	40,	40.54
Emmanuel S. S.,	Southern Pines,	"	15,	3.65
Calvary Church,	Tarboro,	"	19,	29.00
St. Timothy's,	Wilson,	"	13,	34.19
Gilbert Higgs,	Warrenton,	No records,		
	Total,	-	349.	$479.67

This money has been distributed as follows:

DIOCESAN—

Bishop Cheshire Disposal, - -	$ 7.00
Duke Mission, - - -	3.00
Mayodan, - - - -	7.00
Annie Cheshire Fund, - -	6.00
Total, -	$21.00

DOMESTIC—

Thompson Orphanage, - -	$116.40
Bishop Horner, Valle Crusis, -	18.75
St. Paul's School, Beaufort, -	29.00
Alaska, - - - -	3.00
St. Agnes Hospital, - - -	3.00
Easter School, Philippines, - -	2.50
Total, -	$152.65

FOREIGN—

St. Mary's Hall, Shanghai, - -	$47.30
Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, -	6.15
Apportionment, - - -	16.10
Total, -	$69.50

Church Periodical Club, - -	$ 7.25
Clergy Retiring Fund, - -	4.50
Specials "Diocesan," - -	29.64
United Offering, - - -	14.50
Central Fund, - - -	12.65
13 Boxes to various Diocesan Objects,	145.65

CENTRAL FUND—

Printing Journal, - - -	$8.00

Balance 1908,	$22 25		
1909,	12.65		
	$34.90	Balance May 1st,	$28.90

Two branches have been organized since the last annual meeting, one at Duke, Miss Carrie Herndon director, and the other at Middleburg, of which Miss Carroll has taken charge.

The Gilbert Higgs branch, Warrenton, reported meetings and contributions for the Thompson Orphanage, but, having kept no records, their work could not be incorporated into this report.

The Juniors of the Diocese were asked for $50.00, their apportionment for the United Gift of $12,000 to China.

The Convocation of Raleigh has sent forward $63.35.

While the report shows a decrease in a few branches, in their gifts as compared with last year, I trust I am not using the optimistic eye too freely in stating that the general interest has increased and the work of the Junior Department of the Diocese of North Carolina has great possibilities before it.

Respectfully submitted,

SALLY D. RAWLINGS,

Secretary of the Convocation of Raleigh.

LIST OF OFFICERS FOR THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY OF THE CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH, MAY 1909.

St. Philip's—Durham
Director, Mrs. L. A. Carr; Secretary, Mary Louise Manning; Treasurer, Amy C. Winston.

St. Mark's—Halifax
Director, Mrs. Sterling M. Gary.

St. Matthew's—Hillsboro
Director, Mrs. Paxson Watters.

Church of Our Saviour—Jackson
Director, Mrs. C. G. Peebles; Secretary, Miss L. H. Whitfield.

St. Paul's—Louisburg
Director, Miss Mary K. London.

Christ Church—Raleigh
Directors, Mrs. Chas. Root, Miss Louise Busbee; Secretary, Miss Annie McGehee; Treasurer, Miss Julia Picket; Junior President, Miss Patsy Smith.

St. Saviour's—Raleigh
Directors, Mrs. Joe Marshall, Miss Mary A. Jones

Good Shepherd—Raleigh
Director, Mrs. Leigh R. Skinner; Secretary, Miss Margaret Habel; Treasurer, Miss Bertha Holman.

St. Mary's School—Raleigh
Director, Miss McKimmon.

Good Shepherd—Rocky Mount
Director, Mrs. R. B. Owens.

Good Shepherd—Ridgeway
Director, Mrs. Jas. D. Scott; Treasurer, Miss Lucy Collins.

Trinity Church—Scotland Neck
Director, Mrs. G. C. White.

Calvary Church—Tarboro
Director, Miss Irwin Bridgers; Secretary, Miss Laura Weddell.

Emmanuel Mission—Southern Pines
Director, Rev. H. T. Gregory.

Holy Inocents—Henderson
Director, Mrs. M. L. O'Neil; Secretary, Miss Louise Joyner; Treasurer, Miss Gertrude Swain.

Young Christian Soldiers—Middleburg
Director, Miss Laura Carroll.

The Duke Mission—Duke
Director, Miss Carrie Herndon.

Gilbert Higgs Chapter—Warrenton
Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Hunter.

St. Timothy's—Wilson
Director, Mrs. H. C. McNair; Secretary, Miss Helen Patterson.

THE REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY,

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

	Members	Central Fund	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	Duke	Mayodan	Annie Cheshire Fund	Thompson Orphanage	Bishop Horner	Beaufort	St. Agnes Hospital	Alaska	Apportionments	China	Japan	United Offering	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	No. Boxes	Value	Total	Grand Total
St. Philip's, Durham	12	$ 1 20	$	$	$	$	$	$15 00	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	1	$ 12 00	$ 16 20	$ 28 20
Duke Mission, Duke	8													1	1 00						1 00	1 00
St. Mark's S. S., Halifax	17		1 00				2 06					3 70									6 76	6 76
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro	8	1 00				5 00	13 50			1 00		3 00	5 00		2 00	1 00					31 50	31 50
Holly Innocents, Henderson	16						1 75														3 50	3 50
Our Saviour, Jackson	7	70					5 00	1 75				1 00	1 30		1 00				1	1 50	10 00	11 50
St. Paul's, Louisburg	4						50												1	10 75	50	11 25
Young Chris. Sol., Middleburg	3						80											25			1 55	1 55
Christ Church, Raleigh	18								9 00				2 00	50					1	20 00	11 00	31 00
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	16	80			5 00				10 00												15 80	15 80
St. Mary's, Raleigh	125	4 95					45 00		10 00			6 90	30 00		6 00	6 00		4 35	5	26 65	113 20	139 85
St. Saviour's, Raleigh	15																					
Good Shepherd, Ridgeway	07						6 00							2 00					1	10 70	3 00	17 00
Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount	6	30					8 00								$		2 50	10 85	2	50 75	21 65	72 40
Holy Trinity, Scotland Neck	40	2 00					20 29			1 00	2 00	1 50	1 00		2 50	25			1	10 00	30 54	40 51
Emmanuel, Southern Pines	15													3 65							3 65	3 65
Calvary Church, Tarborough	19	1 00	6 00	1 00	2 00		3 00	1 00		1 00	1 00		3 00		1 00		2 00	2 50	1	4 00	25 00	29 00
St. Timothy's, Wilson	13	70		2 00		1 00	10 00						5 00		1 00			14 49			34 19	34 19
"Gilbert Higgs," Warrenton																						
St. Stephen's, Oxford																						
Mary Lippet, Pittsboro																						
Grace Church, Weldon																						
Total	349	$12 65	$ 7 00	$3 00	$7 00	$6 00	$116 40	$17 75	$29 00	$3 00	$3 00	$16 10	$47 30	$6 15	$14 50	$ 7 25	$ 4 50	$32 44	13	$145 65	$334 04	$479 69

TO THE JUNIORS OF THE CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

My dear Juniors:

Some months ago your leader, Mrs. M. A. Bland, was compelled by ill health to give up her charge and Bishop Cheshire appointed me to fill her place. Our work has not been carried on with systematic vigor, such as we hope to show another year, as you will learn from the figures given below. Six Branches, viz:—St. Luke's, Salisbury; St. Peter's and St. Mary the Virgin, Charlotte; St. Mark's, Mecklenburg County; Church of the Messiah, Mayodan, and Bishop Gray, Wadesboro, have sent in money and all these except St. Luke's, Salisbury, have made formal reports.

We number 166 members and have given, in round numbers, $101.54 in money and 2 boxes valued at $13.00. One of these boxes was sent from Wadesboro to aid a needy mission in Boone, N. C., the other went from the orphanage Branch to Norfolk, Va. Our money has been divided into the following channels:

Central Fund	$ 3.78
United Offering	6.13
Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	3.25
Mission at Duke	1.00
Charlotte Missions	24.00
Thompson Orphanage	19.37
Bishop Gray's Disposal	1.00
St. Agnes Hospital	1.44
Bishop Rowe, Alaska	.45
School, Beaufort	2.00
Miss Mann's Salary, Japan	2.51
Deaf Mute Mission Work	1.50
Church Periodical Club	.35
Missions, Convocation Charlotte	16.65
Moving Church at Walnut Cove	7.08
Annie Cheshire Fund	7.37
Total	$101.54

There are three points I wish very much to emphasize in this report.

1st. The importance of a good leader in every parish and mission in this Convocation. We all know Juniors will work if the good leader stands "in the fore-front."

2nd. To beg the fathers and mothers of these same Juniors to give their hearty co-operation in our work.

"A word spoken in due season how good is it!"

3rd. To ask our precious young boys and girls to work as

they have never worked before in order that Christ's kingdom may be hastened. It may seem a small matter to you to study, or to fail to study about missions, but it is laying the foundation of future zeal and strength for the mission cause. God grant this zeal may yearly increase and that the future holds mission work for some of our brightest, cheeriest Juniors.

Affectionately yours,
KATE SHEPHERD BENNETT,
Secy. Junior Auxiliary Convocation of Charlotte.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

Parochial Officers.

Charlotte, (Thompson Orphanage)—St Mary the Virgin
Director and Treasurer, Rev. W. J. Smith; Vice-Director, Miss Kate Capehart; Secretary, Miss Annie Love Jones.

Charlotte—St. Peter's
Director, Mrs. H. C. Jones; Secretary, Miss Alice Moore; Treasurer, Miss Marguerite Springs.

Cooleemee—Good Shepherd
Director, Mrs. Henry Rice.

Greensboro—St. Andrew's
Director, Mrs. W. H. Ballard.

Greensboro—State Normal
President, Miss Susan Nash; Secretary, Miss Eleanor Huske; Treasurer, Miss Margaret Dalton; Librarian C. P. C., Miss Edith Hassell.

Lexington—Grace Church
Director, Mrs. Joel Hill.

Mayodan—Church of the Messiah
Director, Miss Emma Karrer.

Mecklenburg County—St. Mark's
Director, Miss Fannie L. Whitley.

Mocksville—St. Philip's
Director, Mrs. Adolphus Griffin.

Monroe—St. Paul's
President, Miss Katie Fairley; Secretary, Miss Beatrice Dillon; Treasurer, Miss Caroline Parker.

Salisbury—St. Luke's
Director, Miss Carrie Roberts; Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Nicolson; Treasurer, Miss Susie Whitehead.

Wadesboro—Calvary—Bishop Gray Chapter—Two Divisions.
Mrs. John T. Bennett, President; Miss Mary Murray, Vice-President; Miss Mary Clifford Bennett, Secretary and Treasurer Girl's Division; Master Joseph Hardison, Secretary Boy's Division.

Walnut Cove—
Director, Miss Rhoda Adams; Secretary, Miss Maybelle Vaughan.

RERORT OF THE JUNIOR BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY, 1908-1909.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	United Offering not forwarded	Diocesan Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	Specials	Apportionment	Total	No. Boxes	Value
Charlotte, T. O. St. Mary the Virgin	62	$ 1 03	$ 1 02	$	$	$	$ 1 44	$ 26	$ 1 37	$ 1 66	$ 6 78	1	$ 3 00
Charlotte, St. Peter's	20	40	3 00		30 65	7 20			10 08		51 33		
Mayodan, Church of the Messiah	41	50	76		2 25	1 82	45	25	1 35		7 38		
Mecklenburg County, St. Mark's	13	65	35		2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00		1 00	10 00		
Salisbury, St. Luke's						2 00					2 00		
Wadesboro, Calvary	24	1 20	1 00		10 00	6 35	1 00		3 50	2 00	24 05	1	10 00
Total	160	$ 3 78	$ 6 13	$ 3 61	$54 90	$19 37	$ 4 89	$ 2 51	$16 30	$ 3 66	$ 101 54	2	$13 00

Gifts in money in 1907-'08	$114 95	
Gifts in money in 1908-'09	101 54	
Decrease in gifts of money		$13 41
Value of boxes in 1907-'08	52 93	
Value of boxes in 1908-'09	13 00	
Decrease in value boxes		39 93
Total decrease		$53 34

KATE SHEPHERD BENNETT,
Secretary.

SUMMARY RERORT OF THE JUNIOR BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	Duke	Mayodan	Charlotte Missions	Annie Cheshire Fund	Thompson Orphanage	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Beaufort	St. Agnes Hospital	Alaska	Bishop Gray's Disposal	Apportionment	China	Japan	C. P. C.	C. R. F.	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	349	$12 65	$14 50	$ 7 00	$3 00	$7 00	$	$ 6 00	$116 40	$18 75	$29 00	$3 00	$3 00	$	$16 10	$47 30	$6 15	$7 25	$4 50	$32 44	$334 04	13	$145 65	$479 69
Convocation of Charlotte	125	3 78	6 13	3 25	1 00		24 00	7 37	19 37	.	2 00	1 44	45	1 00	3 66			35		27 74	101 54	2	13 00	114 54
Total	474	$16 43	$20 63	$10 25	$4 00	$7 00	$24 00	$13 37	$135 77	$18 75	$31 00	$4 44	$3 45	$1 00	$19 76	$47 30	$6 15	$7 60	$4 50	$60 18	$435 58	15	$158 65	$594 23

Branch Convocation of Raleigh	-	22
Branch Convocation of Charlotte	-	7
		29

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BABIES' BRANCH, CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

A MESSAGE TO THE MOTHERS.

Behold in reverence the great things God has caused to grow from the giving of a baby's penny, the prattle of a childish prayer!

A famous painter has thrown upon the canvas, to live through all the ages, a wonderful picture of Christ seated in the midst of a group of little children,—the picture illustrating the Master's tender words, "Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not." The group is gazing reverently into the Divine face, while one little child in an ecstasy of loving worship, has seized the hem of His garment, and is kissing it with the rapture of faith.

The picture typifies today the part being played by the children of the church in the Babies' Branch. They comprehend not the division of the church into dioceses, convocations, parishes, but the infant mind can grasp the idea of one church with Jesus Christ as its head, that when the baby's penny is given to Christ here in North Carolina, it is given alike to the Christ of the Indian and the Esquimaux.

From its lisping infancy the child is taught the universality and unity of God's church, that weak and helpless as it is, it is a unit in that church, which is not simply a parish or a community, but is Catholic, all-embracing, world-wide.

Let the sponsors of every babe that is baptized enroll the name of their God child in this department of missionary work. Let the child's interest be kept sweet and fresh and abiding by the knowledge that it has an individual activity in the spread of the Kingdom, and that its tiny hands are helping to speed forward the church of the most High God!

The Memorial Circle of the Babies Branch especially appeals to many a sorrowing heart, mourning the absence of some loved one.

Who can judge of the benefits which will arise when all of Christ's little ones, those of the church militant with those of the church at rest, are bound together, working to bring into the fold of the Good Shepherd their heathen brothers and sisters. For as long as the world shall last, the influence of childhood will touch and sanctify the human heart.

Remembering that the world was saved by One who humbled Himself to become a human mother's baby, how shall our finite minds limit the influence of children in uplifting and sanctifying that redeemed world.

May 1909. ALICE WINSTON SPRUILL.

STATISTICAL REPORT.

Parishes	28
Baby Helpers	368
Baby Pennies	20,830

The pennies were employed as follows:

Thompson Orphanage, Charlotte	$ 50 00
Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society	25 00
Bishop Atkinson Cot. (Holy Trinity, Tokyo, Japan)	20 00
Memorial Kindergarten, Akita, Japan	20 00
Missions in the convocation of Raleigh	20 00
General Missions	10 00
Valle Crucis	10 00
Mayodan	10 00
Bishop Rowe, Alaska	10 00
Annex to St. Luke's Hospital, San Francisco	10 00
Mission Font at Springhope	10 00
United Offering	5 00
Apportionment	4 00
Central Fund	4 30
	$208 30

REPORT OF
MRS. F. S. SPRUILL, SECRETARY AND TREASURER,
Rocky Mount, N. C.

Parish	Director	Babies	Amt.
Battleboro	Mrs. H. B. Marriott	7	$ 11 16
Chapel Hill	Mrs. W. D. Toy	8	2 67
Duke	Miss Anne Wetmore	1	40
Durham	Miss Gertrude Winston	20	10 00
Edgeccombe Co., St. Mary's	Mrs. O. F. Clark	4	2 00
Enfield	Mrs. W. T. Clement	10	6 57
Henderson	Miss Claudia Hunter	23	10 00
Hillsboro	Mrs. Paxson Watters	11	11 00
Jackson	Mrs. C. G. Peebles	5	1 75
Kittrell	Miss Cora Hunt	5	2 50
Littleton	Miss Carrie Helen Moore	11	6 25
Louisburg	Mrs. W. P. Neal	24	14 00
Middleburg	Mrs. H. M. Church	8	3 55
Oxford	Miss Maud Parham	14	9 10
Pittsboro	Mrs. William L. London	7	4 75
Raleigh (Christ)	Miss Mary Armistead Jones	22	11 30
Raleigh (Good Shepherd)	Miss Patty L. Carroll Mrs. William S. West	46	22 10
Raleigh (St. Saviour)	Miss E. Montgomery	10	
Ridgeway	Mrs. J. D. Scott	2	1 00
Rocky Mount	Mrs. Geo. L. Wimberly, Jr.	33	25 00
Scotland Neck	Miss Mary Weldon Smith	6	3 87
Smithfield	Mrs. Hugh Skinner	1	47
Stovall	Mrs. C. L. Lewis	2	3 00
Selma	Mrs. Robert Ashworth	8	4 50
Tarborough	Miss Florida Cotten	53	28 27
Warrenton	Mrs. J. C. Horton	10	4 00
Weldon	Mrs. T. C. Harrison	3	2 00
Wilson	Mrs. T. A. Cheatham	14	7 09
	Total	368	$ 208 30

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BABIES' BRANCH, CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

My Dear Little Helpers:

I come to day to lay before you the result of your last year's work, the best year's work that you and I have ever done together.

From nearly two hundred babies, representing fourteen parishes, has come $108.02.

The tables show just where the money came from, and where it has gone. I wish to speak only on a few points. Thirteen years years ago, the Diocesan Babies' Branch was established with one object in view, the support and training of a Japanese orphan girl Much, very much, besides this has been accomplished, and now Mr. Ishii writes that this scholarship will be completed in one year more—that "little Tuka" will soon be able to teach or nurse in this same Christian home. What a blessed work the babies of North Carolina have been permitted to do—a work whose influences will go on and on through Eternity.

The memorial gifts go again to little Carrie May Cochran, the brown-eyed baby of the Thompson Orphanage.

During the year two little babies have passed into the paradise of God—baby boys of two of our faithful parish secretaries.

St. Peter's Infant Class again sent their pennies to a sick child under the care of Miss Hicks at Manila. Miss Hicks, you know, was herself once a North Carolina baby, and so we love to help her in her work in the far away Philippines.

And then this Class gave a Christmas tree to one of the missions of Charlotte, the value of the gifts being $7.70.

And now, without forgetting any of our old friends, we have taken up a new work. $14.00 has been put into the Savings Bank, the beginning of a fund to buy a Font for the church in Hamlet. Do you not think it would be a beautiful thing for the babies of this Convocation to have this Font ready for the Church when it shall be built? To do this we need every one of you and many new members, and every one must remember the penny every Sunday. This is not a big thing I am asking, but if it be done, and every penny given with baby's prayer, the result will be—perhaps not a larger sum of money, but it will be the biggest work and the most blessed work that you have ever done.

Lovingly,

Mrs. J. W. Smith, A. T. Smith.

April 1909.

MEMORIAL CIRCLE.

1. Sue Somerville Walker
2. Elizabeth Shelton Maxwell
3. Jane Nicholson
4. William Overman
5. Edwin Lacy Clark
6. William S. Nicholson, Jr.
7. Mary Wadsworth McCoy
8. James Clyde Jackson
9. Rebecca Palmer
10. Neisler Byers
11. Hamilton Jones Burwell
12. Catherine Moore Clarkson
13. Thomas Taylor Webb
14. Theodore Garland Blair
15. Caroline Donnell
16. Elizabeth Rives Martin
17. Rolfe Douglas Peasley
18. Archibald Boyden Brawley

RECEIPTS.

Parish	Secretary	Babies	Amt.
Burlington	Mrs. F. L. Williamson	2	$ 2 00
Charlotte	Miss Emma Hall	50	30 50
Dilworth	Mrs. Peasley	22	8 07
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	Miss Horry	21	8 60
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	Mrs. Perkins	21	6 00
Hamlet	Mrs. Laurence	12	5 45
Leaksville	Mrs. Martin	6	4 19
Mecklenburg Co., St. Marks	Mrs. McCoy	2	1 00
Milton	Mrs. Walker	1	10 00
Monroe	Miss Fairley	5	93
Rockingham	Miss Shaw	2	1 20
Reidsville	Mrs. Mobley	12	3 86
Salisbury	Mrs. Brawley	12	15 22
Winston	Mrs. Stedmann	12	6 00
St. Peter's Infant Class, Charlotte	Mrs. Hunter		5 00
Box for Christmas Tree			7 70
Total		180	$ 115 72

DISBURSEMENTS.

Bishop Atkinson's Cot., Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, Japan	$ 16 00
Miss Hicks, Manila	5 00
St. Augustine School, Raleigh	2 00
Thompson Orphanage	25 00
Valle Crucis	8 00
Hamlet, for Font	14 00
Mayodan	5 00
United Offering	5 00
United Work of Babies	6 00
Apportionment	10 00
Clergymen's Retiring Fund	6 00
Cental Fund	6 02
Box for Christmas Tree	7 70
Total	$115 72

SUMMARY REPORT OF BABIES' BRANCH.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	United Work of Babies	Mayodan	Missions in Convocation of Raleigh	Thompson Orphanage	Valle Crucis	Bishop Rowe Alaska	Hamlet	St. Augustine	Apportionment	Bishop Atkinson's Cot. Japan, Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo	Memorial Kindergarten, Japan	Miss Hicks	Gen. Missions	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	368	$ 4 30	$ 5 00	$	$10 00	$20 00	$50 00	$10 00	$10 00	$	$	$ 4 00	$ 20 00	$20 00	$	$10 00	$25 00	$20 00	$208 30
Convocation of Charlotte	170	6 02	5 00	6 00	5 00		25 00	8 00		14 00	2 00	10 00	16 00		5 00		6 00		108 02
Total	538	$10 32	$10 00	$6 00	$15 00	$20 00	$75 00	$18 00	$10 00	$14 00	$2 00	$14 00	$ 36 00	$20 00	$ 5 00	$10 00	$31 00	$20 00	$316 32

Branches Convocation of Raleigh	28
Branches Convocation of Charlotte	14
Total - - - -	42

Box for Christmas Tree - -	7 70
Total - - - -	$324 02

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NOONDAY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS.

Blessed Saviour, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth Thy loving arms; grant that all mankind may look unto Thee and be saved: through Thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost ever, one God, world without end. Amen.

O Lord, Jesus Christ, who in the days of Thy flesh didst accept the services of faithful women who ministered unto Thee of their substance; be pleased, we humbly ask, to bless our endeavors, to aid and encourage missionaries. Put into our hearts the things we should do and say to promote Thy glory. Grant that we may never be discouraged under difficulties, but go forward in faith and hope, looking unto Thee. Hear us, and answer this our prayer, for Thine own Name's sake. Amen.

O God, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send Thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off, and to them that are nigh; grant that all men everywhere may seek after Thee and find Thee. Bring the nations into Thy fold and add the heathen to Thine inheritance. And we pray Thee shortly to accomplish the number of Thine elect and to hasten Thy kingdom, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

INTERCESSORY DAYS.

The eve of the feasts of:

St. Andrew—Diocesan Missions. At the disposal of Bishop Cheshire.

The Epiphany—Foreign. The Annie Cheshire Fund.

The Annunciation—Domestic. At the disposal of the Bishop of Asheville, unless otherwise designated.

The Transfiguration—Thompson Orphanage.

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Diocesan Officers:

President

Mrs. John Wilkes, Charlotte.

Vice-President

Miss Mattie Bailey, Raleigh.

Secretary

Miss Kate Cheshire, Tarborough.

Treasurer

Mrs. Dorian Blair, Greensboro.

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Mrs. R. H. Lewis, Raleigh,
Mrs. R. W. Winston, Durham.

Convocation of Charlotte,
Miss Laura Orr, Charlotte,
Mrs. John Staples, Greensboro.

TREASURER UNITED OFFERING
Miss Ruth Hairston, Cooleemee Plantation, Advance.

CORRESPONDENT C. P. C.

Junior Department

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Miss Bessie Bunn, Rocky Mount.

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE
Mrs. John Gibble, Burlington.

Babies' Branch

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH
Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Rocky Mount.

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE
Mrs. Walter J. Smith, Charlotte.

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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I. The name of this society shall be The North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

ART. II. The object of this society is threefold—viz :—Prayer for Missions, Study of Missions and Work for Missions.

ART. III. The officers of this society shall be as follows, a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, four Convocational Secretaries; two Secretaries and Treasurers for the Juniors and two for the Babies' Branch; Secretaries for the United Offering, and Church Periodical Club.

ART. IV. All the women of the Church are, by baptism, entitled to be members of the Woman's Auxiliary, and this active membership shall be recognized by annual contributions to the Cenrtal Fund.

ART. V. There shall be an annual meeting of this society; time and place to be decided by the executive board.

ART. VI. The Diocesan officers constitute the executive board and, under the Bishop, direct the work of this Branch of the Auxiliary.

ART. VII. This Constitution may be altered by a two-thirds vote of any Annual Meeting.

BY-LAWS.

1. It shall be the duty of the President to call meetings, preside over them, and have general oversight of the whole work.

2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to act in the absence of the President.

3. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to conduct the correspondence of the society; to prepare for the Bishop and the Diocesan Convention an Annual Report of the work of the Auxiliary and to have printed for circulation a report of the work and of the Annual Meeting.

4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all moneys and disburse the same.

5. It shall be the duty of the Convocational Secretaries to keep in touch with the existing branches and to form new ones.

6. It shall be the duty of the Secretaries and Treasurers of the Junior Auxiliary and of the Babies' Branch to have the oversight of the work in their Branch; to receive all moneys and pay out the same by April 15th; and to send an annual report to the Secretary.

7. It shall be the duty of the Secretary for the United Offering to arouse interest in the fund by correspondence and the circulation of literature.

8. All moneys shall be paid quarterly to the Treasurer; the last payments to be made not later than the 15th of April.

REPORT

of the Diocesan Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Rt. Rev. Father in God:

As the Secretary was prevented last year from making her Report she has been requested to embody the work of both years in the present one.

The past two years have been marked by a great wave of missionary enthusiasm which has swept over the whole Christian world. As our Report shows a steady increase in Offerings and Membership we trust that the women of our Branch of the Auxiliary have caught the enthusiasm.

The great Triennial Meeting in Cincinnati, in which we took part, was another stimulus to our zeal. The death of our beloved United Offering Secretary, Miss Adelaide Smith, just before this meeting made the beautiful United Offering service even more solemn and impressive than usual. Her office has been filled by Miss Ruth Hairston, whose appointment came just in time to enable her to attend the meeting and present our offering of $1,601.15. Our other offerings for the two years have been as follows:

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

1910		1911
$ 70.00	Central Fund	$ 72.20
420.02	United Offering	706.85
434.58	Diocesan Missions	704.23
731.57	Domestic	732.67
377.48	Foreign	456.86
102.55	Apportionment	102.25
24.75	Church Periodical Club	20.40
153.19	Clergy Retiring Fund	172.08
613.56	Specials	499.40
43.31	Collections	68.97
908.20	Boxes	778.27
$3880.51	Total	$4314.18

Number of Branches 1910—56; 1911—59
Number of Members 1910—946; 1911—1,054
Increase in Branches—3
Increase in Members—108
Increase in Offerings—$433.67
Total amount of Offerings for the two years—$8,194.69

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

We regret that Mrs. Rawlings has felt compelled to give up her position as Secretary of the Juniors in the Convocation of Raleigh. Her place has been filled by the appointment of Miss Bessie Bunn. The Offering of the Juniors is as follows:

1910		1911
$ 18.21	Central Fund	$ 13.75
23.54	United Offering	43.56
40.20	Diocesan Missions	57.30
185.70	Domestic	158.42
62.57	Foreign	23.24
19.65	Apportionment	18.58
7.28	Church Periodical Club	7.22
7.00	Clergy Retiring Fund	9.50
14.84	Specials	83.33
126.65	Boxes	69.50
$505.64	Total	$484.40

Number of Branches 22
Number of Members 477

BABIES' BRANCH.

1910		1911
$ 9.75	Central Fund	$ 9.95
10.00	United Offering	8.00
4.00	United Work of Babies	3.00
55.00	Diocesan Missions	58.50
114.00	Domestic Missions	93.50
56.00	Foreign Missions	51.00
10.00	General Missions	10.00
8.00	Apportionment	13 50
25.00	Clergy Retiring Fund	25.00
	Specials	16.70
$291.75	Total	$289.15

Number of Branches 36
Number of Members 435
Number of Branches in Woman's Auxiliary and Junior Dept. 121
Number of Members in Woman's Auxiliary and Junior Dept. 1,963
Whole amount of Offering $5,087.73
Whole amount of Offering for the two years $9,765.63

Your Secretary has spent some time in visiting and addressing the different Branches; in reviving small Branches in Mission Stations, and in forming new ones. For several weeks at a time she has worked in the mill towns of our Diocese; especially in the new Mission of Spray, which, at present, shows most encouraging signs of growth. If the Missionary in charge can only have the earnest support of our members we shall have there another proof of what great things the Church can accomplish in our most important mill towns.

Another work which touches our hearts is that being done by the Rector of St. Philips, Durham, among the Deaf Mutes. We have contributed during the past year towards the support of his lay worker and interpreter; and the good results from her work will justify us in increasing our contributions during the coming year.

We have endeavored to show by our offerings the thankfulness we feel that three members of our Branch are laboring in distant Mission fields: in the Philippines, in the Diocese of Shanghai and in the Diocese of Hankow. With our offering has gone our prayer that others of us may follow their example.

One of the most attractive features of our work for the past two years has been the formation of branches of the Woman's Auxiliary composed of girls too old for the Junior Department. In most of our larger parishes there are a number of girls and young married women who feel too old for the Juniors and too young for the regular parish Branch, managed by their mothers and aunts; and who consequently belong to neither. The formation of these young branches is, comparatively, a new departure; but the result of our experiment has been most encouraging. It will help us, too, to realize the ideal for which we strive:—to have the infant, the child, the maiden, the woman, all united in one great Missionary Body—a mighty force in the present day effort to take the world for Christ.

Respectfully submitted,

KATE CHESHIRE,

May, 1911. Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT 1910-1911.

Diocesan—	Bishop Cheshire's disposal	$ 224.53
	Secretary's Traveling Expenses	155.68
	Raleigh Convocation Missions	54.50
	Spring Hope	22.00
	Duke	8.00
	Clayton	12.50
	Charlotte Convocation Missions	52.25
	Mooresville	7.50
	Mayodan	102.71
	Hamlet	17.00
	Charlotte Missions	3.00
	Work among Deaf Mutes	184.26
Domestic—	Thompson Orphanage (Current expenses $422.72) (Building Fund .....90.00)	512.72
	Bishop Horner's disposal	94.56
	Bishop Gray, Southern Florida	24.75
	St. Agnes' Hospital	25.00
	St. Agnes' Hospital Endowment	18.50
	St. Paul's School, Beaufort	49.50
	Alaska	49.75
	Miss Hick's Work, Philipines	27.75
Foreign—	Annie Cheshire Fund, China	294.61
	Miss E. Cheshire's Work	56.25
	Miss Babcock's Salary, Japan	38.50
	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship, Japan	43.50
	Apportionment	102.25
	Church Periodical Club	20.40
	Clergy Retiring Fund Society	172.08
	Specials	338.31
	Total	$2,712.36

Increase $352.22

SPECIALS.

Armenian Relif Fund	$ 4.25
Bishop Aves Disposal, Mexico	4.25
Bishop McKim's Disposal, Japan	1.00
Fitzgerald, Georgia	1.00
Smithfield, North Carolina	24.74
Cooleemee, North Carolina	40.97
Rev. Benjamin Ancell for Dispensary, China	5.00
Rev. James Senior, Lamar, Mo.	3.00
Glendale Springs, North Carolina	51.40
Parker Mission, North Carolina	2.00
Bishop Rowe's Disposal, Alaska	6.00
Thompson Orphanage for Turkey Dinner	14.00
Spray Organ Fund	23.45
Thank Offering at Miss Annie Cheshire's Disposal	5.00
Miss Annie Cheshire's Disposal	13.00
St. Savior's Bell Fund	5.00
Patterson School, Yadkin Valley, North Carolina	5.00
Chinese Famine Fund	10.00
Roanoke Rapids	.50
St. Mary's, Speed	.50
Spray	10.00
Miss Annie Cheshire for next Christmas Tree	5.00
Chapel of Hope, Charlotte, North Carolina	5.00
Thompson Orphanage Sewing Teacher's Salary	.25
Miss Checkley, Cathedral School, Havana, Cuba	5.00
North Henderson Mission	10.00
St. Saviour's, Raleigh, North Carolina	5.00
St. Titus', Durham, North Carolina	5.00
Foreign Missions	28.00
Domestic Missions	1.00
Falls Church, Virginia	1.00
St. Martin's Chapel, Charlotte, North Carolina	5.00
Laymen's Movement	15.00
Valle Crucis	2.00
Laura Lemly Scholarship, Balsam, North Carolina	10.00
Spray Choir Vestments	10·00
Shenandoah, Pa.	1.00
Total	$338.31

CENTRAL FUND.

Receipts.

Balance 1910	$ 69.80
Woman's Auxiliary	73.70
Jrs., Convocation Raleigh	15 00
Total	$157.78
	76.00
	$81.78

Disbursements.

Printing	$58.75
Miss Cheshire (Postage)	8.20
Miss Smith (Postage)	.50
Miss Cameron (Postage)	2.00
Mrs. Rlair (Postage)	6.15
Express on Reports	.40
Total	$76.00

UNITED OFFERING.

Balance April 1st, 1910	$ 861.87
Received to October 1910	621.58
Interest	17.41
Total	$1,500.86
Junior's	72.25
Babies'	28.04
Total	$1,601.15
Colored Woman's Auxiliary	181.42
Total from Diocese	$1,782.57

ADELINE CLEVELAND BLAIR,
Treasurer.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF DIOCESAN OFFICERS.

The Diocesan Officers of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary met in the Rectory of the Church of the Good Shepherd, on the morning of May 18th.

The following were present:

Mrs. Wilkes, President,
Miss Bailey, Vice-President,
Miss Cheshire, Secretary,
Mrs. Blair, Treasurer,
Miss Hairston, Treasurer United Offering,
Miss Bunn from the Juniors,
Mrs. Spruill from the Babies' Branch.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Miss Cheshire.

The first business related to the filling of vacancies in the list of Diocesan Officers. Since the last meeting our beloved Secretary of the United Offering has gone to her reward, and her successor, Miss Ruth Hairston, met with us for the first time as a Diocesan Officer. We also welcomed Miss Bessie Bunn as a new Junior Officer. Mrs. Winston's suggestion, by letter, that a new Convocational Secretary be appointed in her place was met with a motion that she be urged to continue in office.

It was with deep regret that the officers agreed to accept Miss Cameron's resignation as Correspondent of the C. P. C. on account of ill health; and it was earnestly hoped that a successor be found who would prove equally zealous and faithful.

Mrs. Bennett's resignation was accepted with very great regret. Mrs. John Gibble, of Burlington, was chosen her successor as Junior Secretary in the Convocation of Charlotte—her name to be submitted to the Bishop.

A revision of the Pledge List was then taken up and two important objects added to the list; work among the prisoners at the State Farm, in the Convocation of Raleigh; and the Mission at Spray, in the Convocation of Charlotte.

The meeting then adjourned.

MINUTES.

The Twenty-ninth Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was held in the Opera House in Rocky Mount. It was opened on the afternoon of Thursday, May 18th, by the singing of a hymn and prayer by the President.

A cordial greeting was given the women by Mrs. Bunn, President of the Rocky Mount Branch, which was responded to by Mrs. Wilkes.

The minutes of last year's meeting were read by Miss Cheshire; also the minutes of the Diocesan Officers Meeting which had taken place that morning. She then made a short talk to the women present saying how very happy we felt at having with us our beloved President, who seemed to grow a little younger each year. She also thanked the members for their prayer and sympathy in her late illness; and for their generous contribution which had enabled both the Secretary and the Treasurer to attend the Triennial Meeting in Cincinnati. She told how a resolution of respect had been passed at the meeting for our lamented Secretary of the United Offering, Miss Adelaide Smith.

The reports of Diocesan Officers followed. The Treasurer's report was encouraging showing a steady increase in offerings. She urged upon the branches the importance of raising the money for the endowment of the bed at St. Agnes Hospital and of increasing the amount paid towards "The Annie Cheshire Fund;" suggesting that each of the tsrong branches give $25 towards this fund. As she is our Jubilee Offering, Mrs. Blair thought it our duty and privilege to make this fund large enough for her support. A discussion of the St. Agnes Hospital Endowment Fund followed and Mrs. Hunter was asked to supply branches with information before the month of November, when a special collection will be made.

The Secretary of the United Offering made her first report and followed it by a motion: "That our Next United Offering in 1913 be a memorial to Miss Adelaide Smith." This was carried by a rising vote. She also moved that our corporate Communion Service at the Annual Meeting should hereafter be made an annual Diocesan United Offering Service. After much discussion upon the motion it was decided that the Bishop and the United Offering Secretary should confer upon this subject; the latter to report upon it at the meeting next day.

The report of the Correspondent of the Church Periodical Club was read by the Secretary.

Miss Bunn made her first report as Secretary of the Juniors in the Convocation of Raleigh; and the report of

Mrs. Bennett from the Charlotte Convocation was read by the Secretary, who also read the report of Mrs. Smith, the Secretary of the Babies' Branch in the same convocation and a letter from Mrs. Smith to the babies. Mrs. Spruill reported for the babies in the Convocation of Raleigh and her message was for the mothers of the babies.

After the formal reports were made the remainder of the time was given for discussion and for short talks by the missionaries present. The women were urged to attend some of the Jubilee Meetings of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society. Mrs. Hunter was called upon to speak of the work at St. Agnes Hospital, Miss Tillinghast of the Mission to Deaf Mutes and Miss Riddle, our United Offering worker at Spray, of her work among the children there. Rev. Wm. Gordon was called upon and he give a most interesting account of the work in the mill town of Spray which he has lately had in charge, of the first baptisms and confirmatlons in the Church, of the fine Sunday School and good vested choir. At the conclusion of his talk an offering of $25 was made for his work. Mr. Gordon then pronounced the benediction and the meeting adjourned until next morning.

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On Friday morning the Corporate Communion of the Auxiliary was celebrated in the Church of the Good Shepherd, and at 10:00 o'clock the women met again in the Opera House for business. Roll call found the following delegates present.

St. John's, Battleboro—Miss Mary Philips.
Enfield, Church of the Advent—Mrs. Harrison.
St. Mark's, Halifax—Mrs. Sterling Gary.
Church of the Saviour, Jackson—Miss Josephine Bowen.
Grace Chapel, Lawrence—Miss Kate Cheshire.
Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount—Mrs. B. H. Bunn, Mrs. Frank Spruill, Mrs. Bruffy.
St. Anne's Branch, (Good Shepherd)—Mrs. Carson, Mrs. R. B. Davis, Miss Annie Simpson, Miss S. Haywood Battle, Miss Bessie Bunn.
Scotland Neck, Trinity—Mrs. H. I. Clark, Mrs. W. H. Josey, Miss Lizzie Smith, Miss Anna Clark.
Calvary, Tarboro—Mrs. Parks, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. James Pender, Mrs. Farrar.
St. Katherine's (Tarboro)—Miss Ricks, Mrs. Fluck, Miss Bridgers, Miss Lula McDowell, Miss Parker.
Grace Church, Weldon—Mrs. Crammer Harrison.
St. Timothy, Wilson—Mrs. E. G. Rawlings, Mrs. H. G. Conner.

St. Philip's, Durham—Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Muse, Mrs. Tillinghast, Mrs. Nash.
Holy Innocents, Henderson—Miss Claudia Hunter, Mrs. Zollicoffer, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. J. C. Lamb, Miss Lucile Bradley.
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro—Mrs. William Snow, Miss Henrietta Collins.
St. Alban's, Littleton—Miss Lizzie Moore.
Church of the Heavenly Rest, Middleburg—Mrs. Carroll.
Christ Church, Raleigh—Mrs. K. P. Battle, Jr.
Good Shepherd—Mrs. Lotta, Mrs. Cheshire, Miss Bailey, Mrs. Knox.
St. Saviour—Mrs. Battle.
Smithfield—Mrs. Hugh Skinner.
St. Paul's, Winston—Mrs. D. S. Ing.
St. Athanasius, Burlington—Mrs. L. C. Carter, Miss Gant.
Holy Trinity, Greensboro—Mrs. Blair.
Reidsville—Mrs. Eugene Irwin.
Epiphany, Leaksville—Mrs. J. D. Martin.
Spray—Miss Riddle.
St. John's, Madison—Mrs. Galloway, Miss Cunningham.
Church of the Messiah, Mayodan—Miss Emma Karrar.
St. Peter's, Charlotte—Mrs. Wilkes, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Jones.
Ascension Mission, Advance—Miss Ruth Hairston.
St. Luke's, Salisbury—Mrs. Murdock.

As the name of each parish branch was called the delegates from that branch had the opportunity of speaking a few words about their work and giving suggestions as to the best methods to be adopted for work in the future. Miss Hairston reported the Bishop in favor of holding our early Communion service as a United Offering Service; and the motion to make it such was carried by a large majority.

A letter from Miss Emery was read asking that each Diocesan Branch vote on the subject of its Annual Report to the General Secretary; shall it include all such work as has been reported in the past; or only that money which actually passed through her hands. After the vote was taken the Secretary was instructed to let Miss Emery know that the Auxiliary of our diocese wished to continue the Report as heretofore. The subject of the St. Agnes Hospital Endowment Fund being again taken up, the motion was made and carried that the amount which we still owe towards this fund be divided up and apportioned to the different branches. Two prominent visitors were then

called to the platform and introduced to the meeting. Miss Collier, Diocesan Secretary of East Carolina who give us a few words of greeting from her branch, and Miss Parker of Tarborough, one of our oldest members, who in the temporary absence of the President, read the noonday prayer for missions.

Before adjourning to the Church to hear the Secretary's Report read before the Convention assembled, it was moved that this Report be used as the subject of one meeting of the parish branches during the year; so that they may know just how the work is advancing and what we are doing as a whole.

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A most interesting meeting was held in the afternoon in the Opera House when Rev. Mr. Bost told us of the Deaf Mute Mission in Durham and Mr. le Blanc told of the work he had been doing among the Prisoners at the State Farm.

Then the Bishop introduced the Mystery Play which was to follow by telling of the origin of these plays in the past, and of the good which they might accomplish at the present time. This beautiful play, "The Little Pilgrims and the Book Beloved," was given under the management of the Diocesan Secretary, assisted by members of the Sunday School, parish and choir of the Church of the Good Shepherd. It showed the glories of the Christian religion and the beauties of the Prayer Book, and wound up with a stirring Missionary appeal to every one present. As the characters in the play marched out "To take the World for Christ" the whole audience arose and joined with them in singing the recessional hymn,

"O Sion haste Thy Mission high fulfilling
To tell to all the world that God is light,"

which closed the meeting.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Int. Col.	Secretary's Traveling Expenses	Raleigh Convocation Missions	Spring Hope	Duke	Clayton	Charlotte Convocation Missions	Mayodan	Hamlet	Charlotte Missions	Mooresville	Work Among Deaf Mutes	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Int. Col	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Int. Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	St. Paul's School Beaufort	Alaska	Philippines Miss Hicks	Annie Cheshire Fund	Miss E. Cheshire's Work	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Epiphany Int. Col.	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Battleboro	9		17 91		5 60											4 30	32 50													2 00				1 25	53 55			63 56
Enfield	6		7 50																																7 50			7 50
Halifax																10																			40			40
Jackson	12	1 20	10 65					3 00								4 80	5 00		2 00									2 00			3 00		3 00		34 65			34 65
Lawrence	10		1 85	2 15		2 50											1 55		40							1 33							1 28	2 00	15 08	2	22 00	38 06
Roanoke Rapids																																						
Rocky Mount, Good Shepherd	33	2 00	8 00	5 00			1 00	10 00			1 00	1 00				5 00	5 00		2 50		2 50			5 00		5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	5 00		12 00	10 00	100 00			100 00
Rocky Mount, St. Anne's	36	2 50	2 50													10 00	5 00									3 00							12 00		35 00			35 00
Scotland Neck	35	3 50	13 36	2 50	82		5 00				2 50					5 00	22 38	85	2 00	65										3 27	1 00		1 00	11 75	75 58	1	17 87	123 45
Speed	11																																					
Tarboro, Calvary	50	5 00	25 00	25 00	5 41	5 00		1 00	1 00	1 00		3 00	1 00		1 00	10 00	5 00	1 80	5 00	4 10	5 00			5 00		5 00		5 00	5 00	7 00	10 00		12 00	10 50	163 81	3	22 60	186 41
Tarboro, St. Katharine's	20	2 00	5 00	4 00						1 00						10 00	3 00					1 00		1 00		5 00					1 00	1 00	3 00	43 00	80 00			80 00
Thelma																																						
Weldon	31	1 70	3 38	2 00			2 00									2 00	20 00		2 00					2 00		3 00	2 00				2 00		3 00	5 00	51 08	3	149 00	200 08
Wilson	19	1 30	6 00	5 00	1 10												15 00	1 00	2 50	1 15						5 00			2 50	2 50					45 05			45 05
Total	278	$19 20	$101 15	$45 65	$12 93	$7 50	$8 00	$14 00	$1 00	$2 00	$3 50	4 00	$1 00		$1 00	$51 50	$114 43	$3 65	$16 40	$5 90	$7 50	$1 00		$13 00		$30 33	$7 00	$12 00	$12 50	$19 77	$22 00	$1 00	$47 28	$86 50	$572 59	9	$241 47	$914 16

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Int. Col.	Secretary's Traveling Expenses	Raleigh Convocation Missions	Spring Hope	Duke	Clayton	Charlotte Convocation Missions	Mayodan	Hamlet	Charlotte Missions	Mooresville	Work Among Deaf Mutes	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Int. Col	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Int. Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	St. Paul's School Beaufort	Alaska	Philippines Miss Hicks	Annie Cheshire Fund	Miss E. Cheshire's Work	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Epiphany Int. Col.	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Chapel Hill	25		6 25	4 00					1 50			1 50	1 00		1 00	1 00	20 00		4 00				20 00			5 00		1 50	2 50		7 00			2 50	79 25			79 25
Durham	30	3 00	37 07	25 00		5 00			2 50			2 50				15 00	25 00		20 00				5 00		5 00	15 00				2 50		2 00	12 00	31 00	207 57	1	50 50	258 07
Henderson	50	2 10	27 74	5 00	1 05		25 50									18 00	40 00	2 38	5 00	1 09	5 00	3 00	5 00	5 00	5 00	25 00	5 00	5 00		2 07	5 00	2 00	25 00	56 00	275 23	3	77 95	354 18
Hillsboro	25	2 50	29 46	10 00	2 15		4 00				4 00					10 00	5 00	5 80	2 50		2 50	2 50	2 00	3 00	2 00	25 00	5 00	1 50	2 00	7 00	2 00	3 00	12 00	14 50	159 41	1	71 55	233 96
Oxford	22	1 20		5 00				2 00	1 00	1 00		2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	5 00		5 00				1 00	1 00	2 00										30 20			30 20
Total	152	$9 10	$100 52	$49 00	$3 20	$5 00	$29 50	$2 00	$5 00	$1 00	$4 00	6 00	$2 00	$1 50	$2 00	$15 00	$95 00	$8 18	$36 50	$1 09	$7 50	$5 50	$33 00	$9 00	$14 00	$70 00	$10 00	$8 00	$4 50	$11 57	$14 00	$7 00	$49 00	$104 00	$752 66	5	$203 00	$955 66

DISTRICT OF WAKE

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Int. Col.	Secretary's Traveling Expenses	Raleigh Convocation Missions	Spring Hope	Duke	Clayton	Charlotte Convocation Missions	Mayodan	Hamlet	Charlotte Missions	Mooresville	Work Among Deaf Mutes	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Int. Col	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Int. Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	St. Paul's School Beaufort	Alaska	Philippines Miss Hicks	Annie Cheshire Fund	Miss E. Cheshire's Work	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Epiphany Int. Col.	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Duke	14	1 40	3 85	2 00												2 00	1 00							1 00		1 00			1 00				1 00	2 00	16 25			16 25
Littleton	13		6 82	1 00	2 50		5 00										2 00							50					50		14 00		2 00	2 00	40 92			40 92
Louisburg	13	1 70	2 90	5 00			5 00									2 00	8 00									3 50	3 50				4 25		12 00		52 85	1	25 00	77 85
Middleburg	8		7 00	2 00												3 00	15 00							1 00	1 00	2 00			1 00		50	50		1 40	34 40			34 40
Pittsboro	12	1 00	3 70		1 00											2 40	24 65	1 00		1 00										2 00	1 00			1 60	39 35			39 35
Raleigh, Christ Church	50	3 70	68 95	10 00	1 35			5 00		10 00		10 00	5 00			10 00	27 00	1 95				15 00	15 00	5 00	5 00	25 00	10 00		5 00	2 81		2 00	10 00	55 00	302 77	2	15 35	319 12
Raleigh, Good Shepherd	58	5 40	90 00	10 00	85	31 00		2 50	2 50			2 50	2 50			15 00	10 00	2 00	5 00	3 20	5 00	5 00		5 00		26 25	5 00		5 00		10 00	2 50	12 00	58 00	316 20	3	66 90	383 10
Raleigh, St. Mary's	12																																					
Raleigh, St. Saviour's	2	1 20	1 25	5 00																														5 00	12 45			12 45
Ridgeway	6	60	1 00	1 00			25	25		25	25	1 00	25	25	25	25	1 00		50		25	25	25	50	25	1 00	1 00	25	50	1 25	25		2 00	50	15 60			15 60
Smithfield	12															5 00	10 00					5 00				5 00							5 00		31 50			31 50
Southern Pines																																						
Townesville																																						
Warrenton	25	2 00	20 00	5 00			5 00										5 00		3 00							1 00	1 00				3 00			2 00	17 00	1	83 00	130 00
Total	235	$17 00	$205 47	$41 00	$5 70	$32 50	$15 25	$7 75	$2 75	$10 25	$25	13 50	$7 75	$25	$25	$39 65	$103 65	$4 95	$8 50	$4 20	$5 25	$25 25	$15 25	$13 00	$6 25	$66 75	$22 50	$25	$18 00	$6 66	$33 00	$5 00	$41 00	$127 50	$909 29	7	$191 25	$1100 54

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Int. Col.	Secretary's Traveling Expenses	Raleigh Convocation Missions	Spring Hope	Duke	Clayton	Charlotte Convocation Missions	Mayodan	Hamlet	Charlotte Missions	Mooresville	Work Among Deaf Mutes	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Int. Col	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Int. Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	St. Paul's School Beaufort	Alaska	Philippines Miss Hicks	Annie Cheshire Fund	Miss E. Cheshire's Work	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Epiphany Int. Col.	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Burlington	10		5 00	10 00												3 60										5 00				5 70			5 00	34 30			34 30
Greensboro	58	1 30	20 04	15 00	1 85	5 00					15 00	15 00				5 00	20 00	10 45		5 40	4 00	5 00		10 00	5 00	25 00	10 00	5 00	4 00	80	6 00	5 00	14 00	77 45	288 29	2	38 25	326 54
Germantown																																						
High Point																																						
Leaksville	11	1 00	3 85														1 00															1 00	2 50	3 00	15 35			15 35
Madison	6																																					
Mayodan	24			5 00																						1 00	1 00				3 00			7 00	17 00			17 00
Spray	10	1 00																													1 00				2 00			2 00
Statesville	10		2 00														1 60																	1 50	5 10			5 10
Stoneville	5	10	50	15													50							50	25	50	50	25	25		25	15	10		4 00			4 00
Walnut Cove																																						
Winston	27	2 70	6 00	4 00								5 00				5 00	5 00		2 00			1 00		1 00		5 00		3 00			5 00		2 00	25 00	71 70			71 70
Reidsville	19										7 50						2 00					1 00		1 00		2 00		1 00			1 00				15 50			15 50
Total	180	$9 10	$37 39	$34 15	$1 85	$5 00	$	$	$	$	$22 50	20 00	$	$	$	$13 50	$33 10	$10 45	$2 00	$5 40	$1 00	$7 00	$	$12 50	$5 25	$35 50	$11 50	$9 25	$4 25	$ 80	$15 25	$6 15	$24 39	$118 95	$453 21	2	$38 25	$491 49

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Int. Col.	Secretary's Traveling Expenses	Raleigh Convocation Missions	Spring Hope	Duke	Clayton	Charlotte Convocation Missions	Mayodan	Hamlet	Charlotte Missions	Mooresville	Work Among Deaf Mutes	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Int. Col	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Int. Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	St. Paul's School Beaufort	Alaska	Philippines Miss Hicks	Annie Cheshire Fund	Miss E. Cheshire's Work	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Epiphany Int. Col.	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Bristow, St. Mark's	12	1 20														4 00																		10 20			10 20
Charlotte, St. Peter's	66	6 60	234 50	10 00	1 30								5 00		5 00	25 00	10 00	2 60	10 00	4 35						25 00			5 00		25 95			33 00	398 30	1	80 00	458 30
Dilworth, Holy Comforter	16	3 90	3 00	3 00		1 00						20 00				2 00										1 00	1 00				6 00			15 50	56 40			56 40
Hamlet	10																3 25									1 00									4 25	2	11 00	15 25
Monroe	11																																					
Wadesboro	17	1 70	8 75	2 00	3 50							2 00	2 00			5 20	11 00	3 60		1 61						2 00		1 00	1 00	3 53	3 00		4 00	1 20	50 00	1	18 80	78 39
Total	135	$13 40	$216 25	$15 00	$1 80	$1 00	$	$	$	$	$	22 00	$7 00	$	$5 00	$32 20	$28 25	$6 20	$10 00	$5 96	$	$	$	$	$	$29 00	$1 00	$1 00	$6 00	$29 48	$9 00	$	$1 00	$52 70	$529 24	1	$89 30	$618 54

DISTRICT OF ROWAN

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Int. Col.	Secretary's Traveling Expenses	Raleigh Convocation Missions	Spring Hope	Duke	Clayton	Charlotte Convocation Missions	Mayodan	Hamlet	Charlotte Missions	Mooresville	Work Among Deaf Mutes	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Int. Col	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Int. Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	St. Paul's School Beaufort	Alaska	Philippines Miss Hicks	Annie Cheshire Fund	Miss E. Cheshire's Work	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Epiphany Int. Col.	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Advance	2	20	2 00	5 00												1 00										5 00	1 00	1 00			1 00	1 00	1 00	4 50	22 70			22 70
Ansonville	12	1 20	1 62																																2 82			2 82
Concord	9																																	1 00	1 00			1 00
Cooleemee	8		1 00	75	1 00		25	25	25	25	5 00	25	25	25	25	25	2 00	1 00	1 00	1 00	50	25	25	25	25	1 25	1 25	25	25	1 00		25	50	25	21 50			21 50
Lexington	5		1 20	2 00							1 00															2 00					1 00				7 20			7 20
Rowan, Christ Church	18	1 00	2 00	2 00	1 00		1 00				2 00			1 00		1 00	2 00					2 00	1 00	2 00	2 00	1 00	1 00	2 00			1 00	2 00	1 00	28 00			28 00
Salisbury	20	2 00	8 25								10 00						27 10		2 00							6 50		1 75	1 00		5 00			3 00	66 60	1	15 00	81 60
Total	74	$4 40	$16 07	$9 25	$2 00	$	$1 25	$	$25	$25	$18 00	25	$	$25	$1 25	$	$2 25	$31 10	$1 00	$3 00	$1 00	$	$50	$2 25	$1 25	$2 25	$2 25	$15 75	$3 25	$3 00	$3 25	$1 00	$8 00	$1 25	$3 50	$9 75	$149 82	1	$15 00	$164 82

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH — SUMMARY REPORTS

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Int. Col.	Secretary's Traveling Expenses	Raleigh Convocation Missions	Spring Hope	Duke	Clayton	Charlotte Convocation Missions	Mayodan	Hamlet	Charlotte Missions	Mooresville	Work Among Deaf Mutes	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Int. Col	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Int. Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	St. Paul's School Beaufort	Alaska	Philippines Miss Hicks	Annie Cheshire Fund	Miss E. Cheshire's Work	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Epiphany Int. Col.	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
District of Edgecombe	278	$19 20	$101 15	$45 65	$12 93	$7 50	$8 00	$14 00	$1 00	$2 00	$3 50	4 00	$1 00		$1 00	$51 50	$114 43	$3 65	$16 40	$5 90	$7 50	$1 00		$13 00		$30 33	$7 00	$12 00	$12 50	$19 77	$22 00	$1 00	$47 28	$86 50	$572 59	9	$241 47	$914 16
District of Granville	152	9 10	100 52	49 00	3 20	5 00	29 50	2 00	5 00	1 00	4 00	6 00	2 00	1 50	2 00	15 00	95 00	8 18	36 50	1 09	7 50	5 50	33 00	9 00	14 00	70 00	10 00	8 00	4 50	11 57	14 00	7 00	49 00	104 00	752 66	5	203 00	955 66
District of Wake	235	17 00	205 47	41 00	5 70	32 50	15 25	7 75	2 75	10 25	25	13 50	7 75	25	25	39 65	103 65	4 95	8 50	4 20	5 25	25 25	15 25	13 00	5 25	66 75	22 50	25	18 00	6 66	33 00	5 00	41 00	127 50	909 29	7	191 25	1100 54

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE — SUMMARY REPORTS

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	St. Andrew's Int. Col.	Secretary's Traveling Expenses	Raleigh Convocation Missions	Spring Hope	Duke	Clayton	Charlotte Convocation Missions	Mayodan	Hamlet	Charlotte Missions	Mooresville	Work Among Deaf Mutes	Thompson Orphanage	Transfiguration Int. Col	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	Annunciation Int. Col.	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	St. Paul's School Beaufort	Alaska	Philippines Miss Hicks	Annie Cheshire Fund	Miss E. Cheshire's Work	Miss Babcock's Salary	Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship	Epiphany Int. Col.	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
District of Guilford	180	$9 10	$37 39	$34 15	$1 85	$5 00	$	$	$	$	$22 50	20 00	$	$	$	$13 60	$33 10	$10 45	$2 00	$5 40	$4 00	$7 00	$	$12 50	$5 25	$38 50	$11 50	$9 25	$4 25	$ 80	$16 25	$6 15	$24 30	$118 95	$453 21	2	$38 25	$491 49
District of Mecklenburg	135	13 40	216 25	15 00	1 80	1 00						22 00	7 00		5 00	32 20	28 25	6 20	10 00	5 96						29 00	1 00	1 00	6 00	29 48	9 00		1 00	52 70	529 24	1	89 30	618 54
District of Rowan	74	4 10	16 07	9 75	2 00		1 25		25	25	18 00	25	25	1 25	25	2 25	31 10	1 00	3 00	1 00	50	2 25	1 25	2 25	2 25	15 75	3 25	3 00	3 25	1 00	8 00	1 25	3 50	9 75	149 82	1	15 00	164 82
Total	1051	$72 20	$706 85	$191 55	$30 18	$51 00	$51 00	$24 00	$9 00	$13 50	$48 25	55 75	$18 00	$3 00	$8 50	$184 20	$105 53	$31 11	$76 10	$23 55	$21 75	$41 00	$19 50	$19 75	$27 75	$250 33	$55 25	$33 50	$18 50	$69 28	$102 25	$20 10	$172 08	$199 10	$3466 94	28	$778 27	$4245 21

Collection taken at Annual Meeting for Smithfield $18 74
" " " " " " " $16 27
" " " " " " " $33 96

Total $814 18

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES AND OFFICERS.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE.

Battleboro—St. John's
Mrs. H. B. Marriott, President; Miss Mary Philips, Secretary and Treasurer.

Enfield—The Church of the Advent
Mrs. H. S. Harrison, President; Mrs. E. W. Simpson, Secretary and Treasurer.

Speed—St. Mary's
Mrs. Benj. Shelton, President; Miss Annie Thigpen, Vice-President; Mrs. Dorsey Parker, Secretary and Treasurer.

Halifax—St. Mark's
Miss Helen Daniel, President; Mrs. George Gilliam, Secretary and Treasurer.

Jackson—Church of the Saviour
Miss M. G. Burgwyn, President; Mrs. H. W. Lewis, Vice-President; Miss Harriet Bowen, Secretary and Treasurer.

Lawrence—Grace Chapel
Miss Sallie Hicks, President; Mrs. Williams, Vice-President; Mrs. Cary Lawrence, Secretary and Treasurer.

Roanoke Rapids—
Mrs. Walter C. Edwards, President; Mrs. J. L. Patterson, Vice-President; Miss Effie Waldo, Secretary and Treasurer.

Rocky Mount—Good Shepherd
Mrs. D. W. Thorpe, President; Mrs. B. H. Bunn, Vice-President; Mrs. Frank J. Thorpe, Secretary and Treasurer.

Rocky Mount—Good Shepherd
Mrs. T. B. Bunn, President; Mrs. R. B. Davis, Secretary and Treasurer.

Scotland Neck—Trinity
Mrs. H. I. Clark, President; Mrs. Gus White, Vice-President; Miss Mary H. Smith, Secretary and Treasurer.

Tarboro—Calvary
Mrs. John W. Cotten, President; Mrs. Charles Parks, Vice-President; Miss A. C. Parker, Secretary; Miss Miriam Lanier, Treasurer.

Tarboro—St Katharine's
Miss Rena Clark, President; Miss Isabel Clark, Vice-President; Mrs. Fluck, Secretary; Miss Bessie Ricks, Treasurer.

Thelma—St. Luke's
Miss Ida Pugh, Secretary and Treasurer.

Weldon—Grace
Mrs. R. W. Smith, President; Mrs. T. C. Harrison, Vice-President; Mrs. H. H. Phelps, Secretary; Mrs. R. L. Travis, Treasurer.

Wilson—St. Timothy's
Mrs. H. G. Conner, President; Mrs. J. C. Hales, Vice-President; Mrs. Minnie H. Murray, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE.

Chapel Hill—Chapel of the Cross
Mrs. S. M. McNider, President; Mrs. J. H. Pratt, Vice-President; Miss Myra Tillinghast, Secretary; Miss Nellie Barbee, Treasurer.

Durham—St. Philip's
Mrs. W. L. Wall, President; Mrs. Saunders, Vice-President; Mrs. L. A. Carr, Secretary and Treasurer.

Henderson—Holy Innocents
Mrs. D. B. Kimball, President; Mrs. D. Y. Cooper, Vice-President; Mrs. I. N. Hughes, Secretary; Miss Virginia Robards, Treasurer.

Hillsboro—St. Matthew's
Miss Henrietta Collins, President; Mrs. William Hayes, Vice-President; Miss Rebecca Cameron, Secretary; Miss Margaret T. Webb, Treasurer.

Oxford—St. Stephen's
Mrs. F. H. T. Horsefield, President; Mrs. H. G. Cooper, Vice-President; Mrs. Annie H. Landis, Secretary; Mrs. Louis DeLaCroix, Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF WAKE.

Duke—St. Stephen's
Miss Annie Wetmore, President; Miss Mayme Hall, Secretary and Treasurer.

Littleton—St. Alban's
Mrs. P. A. Spruill, President; Mrs. J. Pippen, Vice-President; Miss Carrie Helen Moore, Secretary and Treasurer.

Louisburg—St. Paul's
Mrs. John London, President; Mrs. T. W. Bickett, Secretary; Mrs. Wm. H. Ruffin, Treasurer.

Middleburg—Church of the Heavenly Rest
Mrs. Herbert Church, President; Miss Laura H. Carroll, Secretary; Mrs. Thomas H. Carroll, Treasurer.

Pittsboro—St. Bartholomew's
Mrs. S. J. Haughton, President; Mrs. Wm. London, Secretary and Treasurer.

Raleigh—Christ Church
Mrs. Parker, President; Mrs. F. H. Busbee, Vice-President; Mrs. Wm. Stone, Secretary; Mrs. K. P. Battle, Jr., Treasurer.

Raleigh—Good Shepherd
Mrs. I. McK. Pittenger, President; Miss Mattie H. Bailey, Vice-President; Mrs. Alex. Field, Secretary; Miss Kate Arrington, Treasurer.

Raleigh—St. Mary's
Mrs. Geo. W. Lay, President; Miss Kate McKimmon, Secretary; Miss E. W. Thomas, Treasurer.

Raleigh—St. Saviour's
Mrs. Edward Trapier, President; Mrs. Jno. W. Hinsdale, Secretary; Mrs. Chas. Jones, Treas.

Ridgeway—Good Shepherd
Miss Lucy Edwards, President, Secretary and Treasurer; Mrs. J. D. Scott, Vice-President.

Smithfield—
Mrs. Holt, President; Mrs. H. L. Skinner, Vice-President; Mrs. Ed. Pou, Secretary and Treas.

Southern Pines—Emmanuel
Mrs. Sara Ruggles, Vice-President; Mrs. Elizabeth C. Allen, Secretary; Mrs. Florence E. Beck, Treasurer.

Townesville—
Miss Olivia Taylor Secretary.

Warrenton—Emmanuel
Mrs. A. E. Jones, President; Mrs. H. L. Falkener, Secretary and Treasurer.

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD.

Burlington—St. Athanasius
Mrs. Finly Williams, President; Mrs. Gant, Vice-President; Mrs. Erwin Holt, Secretary and Treasurer.

Germantown—Miss Mollie Hill, Secretary and Treasurer.

Holy Trinity—Greensboro
Mrs. Dorian H. Blair, President; Mrs. C. C. Taylor, Vice-President; Mrs. C. G. Wright, Secretary; Mrs. Maria Pope, Treasurer.

High Point—St. Mary's
Mrs. W. L. Mellichampe, President; Mrs. Galt, Vice-President; Mrs. Tidman, Secretary and Treasurer.

Leaksville—Epiphany
Mrs. W. S. Martin, President; Mrs. S. L. Martin, Vice-President; Mrs. Percy Williams, Secretary and Treasurer.

Madison—St. John's
Mrs. J. M. Galloway, President; Mrs. Pratt, Vice-President; Mrs. John Roach, Secretary and Treasurer.

Mayodan—Church of the Messiah
Miss Mary Ramsour, Secretary and Treasurer.

Reidsville—
Mrs. Eugene Irvin, President; Mrs. Rawley Galloway, Secretary and Treasurer.

Spray—St. Luke's
Mrs. Robt. Thompson, President; Miss Riddle, Vice-President; Miss Mary Ellett, Secretary; Mrs. Stephenson, Treasurer.

Statesville—Trinity
Mrs. C. B. Mott, President; Mrs. D. M. Furches, Vice-President; Mrs. Clement Dowd, Secretary and Treasurer.

Stoneville—Emmanuel
Miss Annie L. Smith, President; Miss L. M. Stephens, Secretary and Treasurer.

Walnut Cove—Christ Church
Mrs. Blackburn, Vice-President; Miss Maggie Adams, Secretary and Treasurer.

Winston—St. Paul's
Mrs. J. G. Echols, President: Mrs. Pride Jones, Vice-President; Mrs. Clement Manly, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG.

Bristow—St. Mark's
Mrs. B. F. Houston, President; Miss Fannie Whitley, Vice-President; Mrs. Percy Eubanks, Secretary and Treasurer, Huntersville, N. C.

Charlotte—St. Peter's
Mrs. Jas. Kerr, President; Mrs. R. J. Brevard, Vice-President; Mrs. W. J. Smith, Secretary; Miss Laura Orr, Treasurer.

Dilworth—Holy Comforter
Mrs. J. F. Yorke, Vice-President; Mrs. S. A. Van Every, Secretary; Miss Mary Randolph Peasley, Treasurer.

Hamlet—
Mrs. W. R. Bousal, President; Mrs. Blair Hughes, Secretary and Treasurer.

Monroe—St. Paul's
Mrs. J. M. Fairley, President; Mrs. Geo. Redfern, Vice-President; Mrs. J. D. Parker, Secretary and Treasurer.

Wadesboro—Calvary
Mrs. J. T. Bennett, President; Mrs. J. S. Webb, Vice-President; Mrs. T. A. Marshall, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF ROWAN.

Advance—Ascension Mission
Miss Ruth Hairston, Secretary; Miss Agnes Hairston, Treasurer.

Rowan—Christ Church
Mrs. Kate Brown, President; Miss Mary Barber, Secretary and Treasurer.

Ansonville—All Souls
Mrs. L. L. Little, President; Mrs. J. N. Dunlap, Vice-President; Mrs. W. R. Little, Secretary; Miss Irene Keelyn, Treasurer.

Concord—All Saints'
Mrs. Jas. Gibson, President; Mrs. M. L. Brown, Vice-President; Mrs. Geo. J. Bair, Secretary and Treasurer.

Cooleemee—Good Shepherd
Mrs. J. H. L. Rice, President; Mrs. J. D. Goins, Vice-President; Miss Ola Brown, Secretary and Treasurer.

Lexington—Grace
Mrs. G. W. Montcastle, President.

Salisbury—St. Luke's
Mrs. F. J. Murdock, President; Mrs. A. H. Boyden, Vice-President; Mrs. Mary O. Linton, Secretary; Miss Mary W. Mock, Treasurer.

DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

PLEDGE LIST OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

1911—1912.

DIOCESAN

At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal.
Secretary's Traveling Expenses.
Raleigh Convocation Missions.
- Spring Hope.
- Work Among Deaf Mutes.
- Work Among Prisoners.

Charlotte Convocation Missions.
- Mayodan.
- Hamlet.
- Spray.

DOMESTIC

Thompson Orphanage.
At Bishop Horner's Disposal.
At Bishop Grey's—So. Florida.
St. Augustine's School—St. Agnes' Hospital Endowment.
Alaska.
Philippines—Miss Hick's Work.

FOREIGN

China
- Annie Cheshire Fund—Bishop Graves' Diocese.
- Bishop Root's Diocese.

Japan
- Miss Babcock's Salary.
- Bishop Cheshire's Scholarship.

Apportionment.
Church Periodical Club.
Clergy Retiring Fund Society.
Specials—Not mentioned in the above.

REPORT OF THE UNITED OFFERING FOR 1911.

To the President, Secretary, and Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary:

Mrs. Blair forwarded to the Church Missions House all contributions to the United Offering received during October, so our share in the Offering of 1910 is a little larger than was reported last fall, the total from the Diocese being $1,782.57. (This includes $181.42 given by the Colored Convocation.) There have been contributed since November 1st, $96.77 toward the United Offering of 1913. I hope every Churchman in the Diocese will have a share in this offering and will add her prayers to her contributions, remembering that it was resolved at the meeting in Cincinnati, "That to our united gifts there shall be added our united and earnest prayers that God will put it into the hearts of many faithful women to give themselves to the work of the Master in the Mission Field."

In our own Diocese there are ten United Offering Missionaries at work and more are needed.

RUTH W. HAIRSTON,

May 1911. Secretary United Offering.

The U. O. Missionaries at work in the Diocese are Dr. Catherine P. Hayden, Miss Mary E. Conway, St. Agnes' Hospital; Miss Eliza J. Baker, Miss Lucy C. Johnson, St. Augustine's School, Raleigh, N. C.; Miss Lucy Gluyas, St. James' School, Troutman; Miss Blanche Eubanks, Bristow; Miss Emma Karrer, Mayodan; Miss Sally F. Hicks, Grace School, Lawrence; Miss Roxana Riddle, Spray.

16 branches have not contributed since last annual meeting.

TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB IN THE DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA

Mrs. John R. Wilkes,
President Woman's Auxiliary,

My Dear Madam:

In submitting this, the twenty-first annual report of the Church Periodical Club, I am deeply grieved to have to say that it is a record of practical failure. The women of the diocese take very little interest in this branch of the auxiliary work.

On April 20th I sent out fifteen blank reports to the Librarians who had not sent in resignations with an urgent written request that they should be returned to me by May 1st, and the recipient state if she was still acting as the Librarian of the parish, as the information was very important and had been asked for by the headquarters office.

Of these fifteen reports only *four* were returned to me They came from St. Barnabas, Greensboro; St. Matthew's, Hillsboro; Christ Church, Raleigh, and Advance. A card was received May 10th from Chapel Hill, saying the Librarian had failed to arouse any interest in the work; the people seem to send their reading matter to their friends.

From the report submitted I compute the following figures:

We are sending out regularly 64 periodicals, and have sent out 1 gospel, 1 copy of the Psalms, 1 Testament, 12 books, 200 odd numbers of magazines, 50 Christmas cards, two barrels of reading matter, and contributed $22.40 in money.

There are nearly 18,000 persons whose reading is supplied by the C. P. C. as individuals. Now many more read what is thus sent out—God only can tell. There is no work we do that is the source of so much pleasure and helpfulness, and that costs so little in time and money. I know a woman who sends away 19 periodicals in the course of the month and the time it requires is less than one hour.

I know a child who through the reading of a book sent out by the C. P. C. daily grows in grace and sweetness by trying to become like a child described therein. We call these things *chance*. But are they? Are they not in the place of the great Master Builder?

To me they are, and I beseech you each one, who hears or reads these words of mine to pray earnestly to our Father in Heaven that He will awaken an interest in this work

throughout the diocese, in every parish, in every family so that they may bring forth fruit and bring it forth abundantly. And that we may all gladly share our much or our little with those, who, thro His dispensation have less, or have none.

Very often it is none, and you may take my word for it that the hunger for books is as keen and real as the hunger for bread.

And moreover, what we are asked to give is what is really no longer of any use to ourselves, and simply in our own way if we keep.

The average households have no room for the accumulation of magazines and papers. To get them out of the way is a great relief.

Therefore when we send them to others we have benefitted ourselves as well.

Will not the representation of every parish branch of the Woman's Auxiliary make a hearty effort when she returns to her parish to have a librarian appointed for the C. P. C. work, and at once report the same to me ?

Letters to the Clergy and to the Presidents generally remain unnoticed. Personal appeal is the irresistible force and since by the providence of God I cannot personally attend these meetings I beg you each one, to do my will instead, and speak for me in behalf of this most blessed and merciful work.

Respectfully submitted,

REBECCA CAMERON,

Correspondent No. 17 C. P. C.

Hillsboro, N. C.,
May 11th, 1911.

Parishes originally connected with the C. P. C. work -	26
Librarians resigned in 1910 - - - - - -	2
Librarians supposed to be on duty - - - - -	15
Librarians who report as on duty - - - - -	4

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR DEPARTMENT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Report of the Junior Department of the Convocation of Raleigh, for the year ending April 20th, 1911.

		Members	Amt.
Halifax	St. Mark's	9	$ 3.00
Jackson	Church of Our Saviour	4	5.00
Rocky Mount	Good Shepherd	30	37.25
Scotland Neck	Trinity	35	27.00
Tarboro	Calvary	16	28.00
Wilson	St. Timothy	11	21.32
Henderson	Holy Innocents	31	33.00
Hillsboro	St. Matthew's	7	30.76
Middleburg	Heavenly Rest	3	4.30
Raleigh	Christ Church	28	34.50
Raleigh	Good Shepherd	15	15.00
Raleigh	St. Mary's	130	123.00
Ridgeway	Good Shepherd	9	17.50
Number of branches 13.		328	$381.63

These amounts have been distributed as follows:

Diocesan—	
Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	$ 13.25
Spring Hope	5.00
Duke	1.00
Mayodan	2.20
Work Among Deaf Mutes	16.50
Diocesan Missions	4.00
	$ 41.95
Domestic—	
Thompson Orphanage	$113.48
Bishop Horner, Christ Arden	2.50
St. Paul's, Beaufort	10.00
Alaska	5.00
Easter School, Philippines	5.00
St. Agnes Hospital	1.00
Bishop Gray, Southern Florida	1.00
	$137.98
Foreign—	
Apportionment	16.50
Albert Smedes Memorial	30.00
Annie Cheshire Fund	12.50
Elizabeth Cheshire	2.50
	$ 61.50
Church Periodical Club	$ 6.00
Clergy Retiring Fund	8.50
Specials	36.65
United Offering	12.80
Central Fund	10.50
Number of Boxes 10—value	65.75
	$140.00

These boxes were sent to the Thompson Orphanage and Diocesan Missions.

Balance on hand ..... $ 26.00

Respectfully submitted,

BESSIE BUNN.

LIST OF OFFICERS FOR THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY OF THE CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH, 1911.

St. Mark's—Halifax
Director, Mrs. Sterling M. Gary.

St. Matthew's—Hillsboro
Director, Mrs. Paxson Watters.

Church of Our Saviour—Jackson
Director, Mrs. C. G. Peebles.

Christ Church—Raleigh
Directors, Mrs. Chas. Root, Miss Louise Busbee; Secretary, Miss Annie McGehee; Treasurer, Miss Julia Picket; Junior President, Miss Patsy Smith.

Good Shepherd—Raleigh
President, Mrs. Mary Latta; Secretary, Miss Sarah Cheshire; Treasurer, Miss Mattie Bailey.

St. Mary's School—Raleigh
Director, Miss McKimmon.

Good Shepherd—Rocky Mount
Directors, Mrs. Bruffy, Mrs. Haight.

Good Shepherd—Ridgeway
Director, Mrs. Jas. D. Scott.

Trinity Church—Scotland Neck
Director, Mrs. G. C. White.

Calvary Church—Tarboro
Director, Miss Irwin Bridgers.

Holy Innocents—Henderson
Directors, Mrs. M. L. O'Neil, Mrs. I. W. Hughes.

Young Christian Soldier—Middleburg
Director, Miss Laura Carroll.

St. Timothy's—Wilson
Director, Mrs. H. C. McNair; Secretary, Miss Helen Patterson.

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	Convocation of Raleigh	Spring Hope	Duke	Convocation of Charlotte	Mayodan	Deaf Mutes	Thompson Orphanage.	Bishop Horner	Bishop Gray	St. Agnes Hospital	Beaufort	Alaska	Annie Cheshire Fund	Elizabeth Cheshire Fund	Apportionment	Church Periodical Club	Clergy Retiring Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Whole Total
St Mark's, Halifax	9	$1 00	$ 50	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 50	$	$	$	$	$	$ 50	$ 50	$	$	$	$	$ 3 00		$	$ 3 00
Church of the Savior, Jackson	4									1 00	2 50								50		1 00		5 00			5 00
Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount	30	1 50		4 25	1 00	5 00				3 00	5 00	2 50	1 00									1 00	24 25	1	15 00	39 25
Trinity, Scotland Neck	35	2 50	2 50	2 00						2 00	5 00					3 00			1 00			9 00	27 00			27 00
Calvary, Parboro	15	1 00	1 00	5 00			1 00		1 00	3 00	3 00					1 00		1 00			3 00	5 00	25 00	1	3 00	28 00
St. Timothy, Wilson	11	50	50					00			5 00								2 00			12 32	21 32			21 32
Holy Innocents', Henderson	31		30	2 00	1 00						14 95							1 00			1 00	3 00	23 25	3	9 75	33 00
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro	7	1 00	2 00		1 00				1 20		13 53			1 00			5 00		5 00			1 03	30 76			30 76
Heavenly Rest, Middleshoro	3										1 00											1 30	2 30	1	2 00	4 30
Christ Church, Raleigh	28									2 50	10 00				10 00				2 00		3 00	6 00	33 50	1	1 00	34 50
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	15									5 00	5 00						5 00						15 00			15 00
St Mary's, Raleigh	130	3 00	6 00								45 00								6 00	6 00		30 00	96 00	2	27 50	123 00
Good Shepherd, Ridgeway	9										3 00					1 00	2 00				50	3 00	9 50	1	8 00	17 50
Total	328	$10 50	$12 80	$13 25	$3 00	$5 00	$1 00	$1 00	$2 20	$16 50	$113 48	$2 50	$1 00	$1 00	$10 00	$5 00	$12 50	$2 50	$16 50	$6 00	$8 50	$71 65	$315 88	10	$65 75	$381 63

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY OF THE CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

To the President and members of the Woman's Auxiliary :

I beg to submit the following report of the Junior Auxiliary in the Convocation of Charlotte.

Branches	9
Number Members	171
United Offering	$11.19
Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	2.25
Mission at Duke	.40
Missions Charlotte Convocation	.40
Mayodan	5.50
Work Among Deaf Mutes	6.80
Thompson Orphanage	18.25
Bishop Horner's Disposal	6.00
St. Agnes Hospital	.84
St. Paul's School, Beaufort	1.00
Alaska	.35
Annie Cheshire Fund	7.49
Miss E. Cheshire's Work	.75
Apportionment	2.08
C. P. Club	1.22
Clergy Retiring Fund	1.00
Specials	11.68
Total in money	$79.45
Boxes 1 to Thompson Orphanage	3.75
Total year's work	$83.20

This is a decrease from last year's work. I attribute this, in part, to the many duties that have crowded me and made it impossible for me to give the necessary time and attention to the work. There must, however, be a deeper reason for the yearly falling off in our receipts.

I report two new branches, formed a short time before the year closed, at Spray and Reidsville. I look for good work from these. Most encouraging are the reports from Mayodan and the Chapel of Hope, Thompson Orphanage. These wards of the church, at the Orphanage, give so joyously that it is an object lesson for those more fortunately situated. Resigning this work I beg the members of the Woman's Auxiliary to come forward and lead the Junior work, so that every Parish and Mission in the Charlotte Convocation may report organization by the next annual meeting.

God grant that this rich harvest may wait no longer for faithful leaders !

Respectfully submitted,

May 19th, 1911. KATE SHEPHERD BENNETT.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

Parochial Officers.

Charlotte—St. Peter's
Director, Mrs. H. C. Jones.

Charlotte—St. Mary's the Virgin
Director, Rev. J. W. Smith.

High Point—St. Mary's
Director, Mrs. Richard E. J. Johnson.

Mayodan—Church of the Messiah
Director, Miss Emma Karrer.

Monroe—St. Paul's
Director, Miss Cornelia Fairley.

Bristow, Mecklenburg County—St. Mark's
Director, Miss Fanny L. Whitley.

Mocksville—St. Philip's
Director, Mrs. Adolphus Griffin.

Wadesboro—Bishop Gray
Director, Mrs. T. A. Marshall.

Burlington—St. Athanasius'
Director, Mrs. J. B. Gibble.

Reidsville—
Director, Mrs. Montague.

Greensboro—Holy Trinity
Director, Miss Annie Wetmore.

Spray—
Director, Miss Elizabeth Gordon.

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	Duke	Charlotte Convocation	Mayodan	Deaf Work	T. Orphanage	Bishop Horner	St. Afines Hospital	Beaufort	Alaska	Annie Cheshire Salary	Elizabeth Cheshire's Work	Apportionment	C. P. C.	Clergy Retiring	Specials	Total Money	1 Box to T. O.	United Offering handed in in Cin.
Mayodan	49	$ 45	$1 00	$1 25	$ 40	$ 40	$	$	$1 00	$1 00	$	$	$ 35	$ 75	$ 75	$	$ 85	$ 50	$1 00	$9 70	$	$
Monroe	11						50		1 00									50		2 00		
St. Mark's	10	35										1 00				1 00				2 35		
St. Peter's	10	20	3 00				5 00	4 80	5 00	5 00				5 00						28 00		
Spray	6								1 00													
Wadesboro	20	1 00	2 00	1 00				2 00	9 25										5 00	6 00		
Reidsville																			4 00	19 25	3 75	
High Point																						
T. Orph. St. Mary the Vir.	65	1 25	5 19								84			1 74		1 08	37		1 68	12 15		
Total	171	$3 25	$11 19	$2 25	$ 40	$ 40	$5 50	$6 80	$17 25	$6 00	$ 84	$1 00	$ 35	$7 49	$ 75	$2 08	$1 22	$1 00	$11 68	$79 45	$3 75	$19 57

SUMMARY REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	At Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	Convocation of Raleigh	Spring Hope	Duke	Convocation of Charlotte	Mayodan	Work Among Deaf Mutes	Thompson Orphanage	At Bishop Horner's Disposal	At Bishop Gray's Disposal	St. Agnes Hospital	Beaufort	Alaska	Annie Cheshire Fund	Miss E. Cheshire's Work	Apportionment	Church Perodical Club	Clergy Relief Fund	Specials	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	306	$10 50	$12 80	$13 25	$3 00	$5 00	$1 00	$1 00	$2 20	$16 50	$113 48	$.2 50	$.1 00	$1 00	$10 00	$5 00	$12 50	$.2 50	$16 50	$.6 00	$.8 50	$71 65	$315 88	10	$65 75	$381 63
Convocatinu of Charlotte	171	.3 25	.30 76	.2 25	.....	.....	.40	.40	.6 60	.6 80	.17 25	.6 00	.....	.84	.1 00	.35	.7 49	75	.2 08	.1 22	.1 00	.11 68	.99 02	.1	.3 75	.102 77
Total	177	$13 75	$43 56	$15 50	$3 00	$5 00	$1 40	$1 40	$7 70	$23 30	$130 73	$.8 50	$.1 00	$1 81	$11 00	$5 35	$19 99	$.3 25	$18 58	$ 7 22	$.9 50	$83 33	$414 90	11	$69 50	$484 40

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF BABIES' BRANCH.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

A Year with many duties has come and gone again,
And we are met together to counsel, talk, and plan,
To make the Church's babies throughout the Diocese
A real, living factor in the Church's great increase.

What message to the heathen will Baby Helpers send?
What broken hearts in other lands will Baby Helpers mend?
What off'rings of faith and lo·e will Baby Helpers make?
What tidings o'er land and sea will Baby Helpers take?

What lessons, Baby's Mother, has learned the little one
Of love and cheer in giving—of faith with which 'tis done?
Of prayer to go with giving, and bless each penny given,
And wing it with a blessing to turn to gold in Heaven?

For with the pennies given, should go the tidings glad,
To weary men and women, to hearts with sorrow sad,
That Christ, the Master giver, shed for the world His blood
That whoso but believeth, shall heir eternal good.

STATISTICAL REPORT.

Parishes	27
Baby helpers	341
Baby pennies	22,370

The pennies were employed as follows:

Thompson Orphanage, Charlotte, N. C.	$ 50.00
Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society	25.00
Bishop Atkinson Cot, (Holy Trinity) Tokyo, Japan	20 00
Missions in the Convocation of Raleigh	20.00
Memorial Kindergarten, Akita, Japan	10.00
General Missions (Miss Emery)	10.00
Valle Crucis	10.00
Mayodan	10.00
For Font at Springhope	10.00
For moving a Chapel at Middleburg, N. C.	10.00
Apportionment	10.00
Bishop Rowe, Alaska	10.00
Mission Font at Hamlet, N. C.	5.00
Mission Font at Selma, N. C.	5.00
United Offering	5.00
Central Fund	5.00
Bishop Van Buren's Kindergarten, Porto Rico	3.70
St. Agnes Hospital, Raleigh, N. C.	2.00
St. Luke's Hospital, San Francisco	2.00
Missionary Font, undesignated (Miss Emery)	1.00
	$223.70

Parish	Director	Babies	Amt.
Battleboro	Mrs. H. B. Marriott	8	$ 15.13
Chapel Hill	Mrs. R. B. Lawson	10	3.92
Durham	Mrs. Frank Webb	18	10.50
Duke	Mrs. J. W. Trigg	2	1.04
Enfield	Mrs. W. T. Clement	6	3.50
Henderson	Miss Claudia Hunter	30	15.72
Hillsboro	Mrs. Paxson Watters	9	12.63
Hobgood	Mrs. B. S. Pender	5	2.60
Jackson	Mrs. C. G. Peebles	2	2.00
Kittrell	Miss Cora Raney Hunt	4	2.16
Littleton	Miss Carrie Helen Moore	16	7.75
Louisburg	Mrs. W. P. Neal	22	11.32
Middleburg	Mrs. H. M. Church	6	2.50
Oxford	Miss Maud Parham	12	5.61
Pittsboro	Mrs. William L. London	5	5.15
Raleigh (Christ)	Miss Mary Ashe Denson	20	12.53
Raleigh (Good Shepherd)	Mrs. William S. West	32	16.45
Ridgeway	Mrs. J. D. Scott	3	2.00
Rocky Mount	Mrs. G. L. Wimberley, Jr.	44	33.00
Scotland Neck	Miss Mary W. Smith	6	3.41
Smithfield	Mrs. Hugh Skinner	5	3.18
Speed	Mrs. B. S. Pender	2	1.25
Stovall	Mrs. C. L. Lewis	4	2.25
Selma	Mrs. Thomas Candler	3	6.05
Tarboro	Miss Florida Cotten	45	27.85
Weldon	Mrs. T. C. Harrison	12	8.10
Wilson	Mrs. H. H. Murray	10	6.10
	Total	341	$223.70

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF BABIES BRANCH.

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

My Dear Little Helpers :

The first thought that comes, in looking over our year's work, is that it is not what it ought to be.

But I am not writing to tell you what we have not done, but to show you what has been accomplished.

A letter from Mr. Ishii, thanking us for our last year's gift, expresses pleasant surprise that we have continued our gifts, since our scholarship has been completed.

But as his beautiful self-sacrifice, and the pressing needs of his work called the Babies' Branch into being in our Diocese, I trust the Little Helpers of North Carolina will always give their loving support to Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo,

Bishop Horner writes, that in sending their gifts to the Valle Crucis School, the Babies are helping a good work; and could you visit this beautiful mountain spot and see the lovely Christmas home, the care and training given these girls, I am sure you would want to send the Bishop more than the four hundred pennies which went to him this year.

Mrs. Hunter wrote us of her needs at St. Agnes' Hospital, and thanked us for our tiny gift to her big work.

The birthday pennies from St. Peter's Sunday School, Charlotte, were sent this year to one of St. Peter's former Sunday School pupils, who is now doing missionary work in a hospital in Shanghai. Miss Hill made us a visit last fall and told this class of her work, and sang some of their own hymns in the Chinese language.

The memorial gifts go as usual to the Thompson Orphanage. Our latest gift—the Font for Hamlet has just been accomplished. When the Church is ready a pretty white marble Font can be ordered. This was made possible by the help of the Babies in the Convocation of Raleigh, who sent five dollars for this.

Would it not be a beautiful idea for the Babies of the whole Diocese to unite in placing a Font in some Mission Church every few years. This is one of the objects accomplished by the united work of the Babies. Every branch in the United States is asked to give one dollar, to buy one or more Fonts for Mission Churches.

And now, my Babies, I will say good bye, trusting that you will remember the great good that can be done by the prayerful giving of a penny every Sunday by every baby in the Convocation.

Mrs. W. J. Smith, Lovingly yours,
Charlotte, N. C., May, 1911. A. T. Smith.

MEMORIAL CIRCLE.

1. Sue Summerville Walker
2. Elizabeth Shelton Maxwell
3. Jane Nicholson
4. William Overman
5. Edwin Lacy Clark
6. William S. Nicholson, Jr.
7. Mary Wadsworth McCoy
8. James Clyde Jackson
9. Rebecca Palmer
10. Neisler Byers
11. Hamilton Jones Burwell
12. Catharine Moore Clarkson
13. Thomas Taylor Webb
14. Theodore Garland Blair
15. Caroline Donnell
16. Elizabeth Rives Martin
17. Rolfe Douglas Peasley
18. Archibald Bowden Brawley
19. Alice Randolph Flurharty
20. Frank M. Galloway

RECEIPTS.

Parish	Secretary	Babies	Amt.
Charlotte, St. Peter's	Miss Emma Hall	42	$23.38
Charlotte, Holy Comforter	Mrs. R. H. Peasley	19	9.28
Greensboro, Holy Trinity	Mrs. C. P. Langley	5	2.72
Hamlet	Mrs. Sam'l Laurence	6	3.46
Leaksville, Epiphany	Mrs. W. S. Martin	3	1.70
Milton	Mrs. Lewis Walker	1	5.00
Salisbury, St. Luke's	Mrs. R. V. Brawley	10	8.27
Winston, St. Paul's	Mrs. R. T. Stedman	8	6.00
St. Peter's Infant Class, Charlotte	Mrs. C. L. Hunter		5.00
Interest			.64
Total		94	$65.45
No. Branches 9			

DISBURSEMENTS.

Bishop Atkinson's Cot, Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, Japan	$16.00
Miss Mary Hill, China, for sick child	5.00
St. Augustine's, Raleigh	2.50
Valle Crucis	4.00
Thompson Orphanage	15.00
United Work of Babies	3.00
United Offering	3.00
Font for Hamlet	6.00
Mayodan	2.50
Central Fund	4.95
Apportionment	3.50
Total	$65.45

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SUMMARY REPORT OF THE BABIES' BRANCH.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	United Work of Babies	Raleigh Convocation	Spring Hope	Selma	Hamlet	Mayodan	Thompson Orphanage	St. Augustine	Valle Crucis	Alaska	Bispop Atkinson Cot. Japan	Miss Hill China	Memorial Kindergarten, Akita	Apportionment	Clergy Retiring Fund	General Missions	Specials	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	341	$5 00	$5 00	$....	$20 00	$10 00	$5 00	$.5 00	$10 00	$50 00	$2 00	$10 00	$10 00	$20 00	$....	$10 00	$10 00	$25 00	$10 00	$16 70	$223 70
Convocation of Charlotte	94	4 95	3 00	3 00	.....	.....	.....	6 00	2 50	15 00	2 50	4 00	.....	16 00	5 00	.....	3 50	.....	.....	.....	65 45
Total	435	$9 95	$8 00	$3 00	$20 00	$10 00	$5 00	$11 00	$12 50	$65 00	$4 50	$14 00	$10 00	$36 00	$5 00	$10 00	$13 50	$25 00	$10 00	$16 70	$289 15

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